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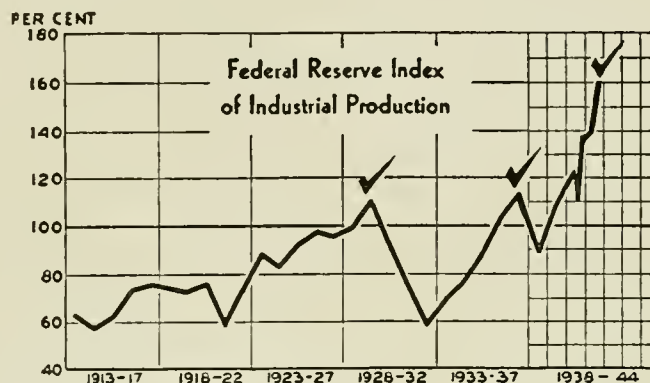
Beyond Waterman Street, viewed from the Front Campus near Manning Hall, is the familiar building occupied for 98 years by the R. I. Historical Society. The University has just acquired this building by purchase.

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► ► A Commencement to Remember

► ► BROWN's 174th annual Commencement calendar centres around graduation a month ahead of the usual third Monday in June, but listing most of the traditional events of other years. Seniors will be awarded their degrees on Monday, May 18, instead of on June 15. Class reunions will be held May 16.

The major change in the Commencement week program will be omitting the Graduate School Convocation on the Saturday before Commencement, when candidates for advanced degrees would ordinarily receive their diplomas and hear a scholarly address. The Graduate School has had its own convocation since 1926.

This year the graduate students will attend the Commencement exercises in the First Baptist Meeting House on May 18 and receive their degrees from President Henry M. Wriston along with the seniors of Brown and Pembroke. Honorary degrees will also be conferred at the graduation exercises.

► MISSING from the Commencement program this year will be the colorful outdoor Class Night Dance on the Middle Campus. This year the dance will be held indoors in Sayles Hall and in Faunce House. No Japanese lanterns will be hung between the elms, breaking a tradition of more than half a century. Other social events have been simplified and combined.

One of the most significant events of the week-end will be Pembroke's 50th anniversary celebration. A special Semi-Centennial Convocation will be held on Saturday, May 16. Other anniversary events will be a panel discussion on education for women on Friday, May 15, and an alumnae reunion dinner on Saturday.

The week-end festivities will open as usual with Ivy Night Dance at Pembroke on Thursday before Commencement—May 14. On Friday, Pembroke's Ivy Day exercises will be held in Alumnae Hall in the morning and Brown's "Under the Elms" exercises of Class Day on the Middle Campus during the afternoon.

One traditional part of the Class Night festivities will remain. Brown seniors will gather on the steps of Sayles Hall for their last campus sing at midnight on Friday.

► BROWN alumni plan to hold class reunions this year, from Saturday through Sunday, but the number of gatherings will probably be smaller than in the past and arrangements are less elaborate.

Aside from the semi-centennial events at Pembroke, Saturday will also see the annual meeting of Rhode Island Alpha of Phi Beta Kappa. No new members are to be initiated this year, since elections were held in February and all candidates made members in March, but the chapter is to elect officers as usual.

Baccalaureate exercises for the seniors of Brown and Pembroke will be in the First Baptist Meeting House on Sunday afternoon, May 17, with the pastor, Rev. Albert C. Thomas '08, preaching the sermon. President and Mrs. Henry M. Wriston, Vice-President and Mrs. James P. Adams and the Deans of Brown and Pembroke will re-

The Reunion Calendar for 1942

► By the end of April 17 Brown classes had notified the Alumni Office that they were planning reunions of various sorts. A few of the groups had arranged overnight affairs, while most had scheduled merely a dinner, but a surprising amount of interest was being shown despite the war. A few other classes* were known to be contemplating reunions but had not settled on details.

1879—May 16, dinner at the home of Mrs. Sadie Jordan, Norwood Avenue, Edgewood, R. I.

1880—May 17, at Laneway Farm in Taunton, farm of the Secretary, Zechariah Chafee.

1882—May 16, dinner at the University Club.

1891—May 17, Agawam Hunt, 6 p.m.

1892—May 16, meet to go to Sakonnet for lunch and afternoon at the home of Charles H. Merriam. Dinner at the Stone Bridge Inn.

1897—May 16, dinner at Agawam Hunt, 7 p.m. Guest of honor, Vice-President James P. Adams, whom other classes dining at the club would be invited to hear.

1909—May 17, dinner at the R. I. Country Club.

1912—May 16-17, Biltmore Hotel will be headquarters. Dinner, May 16, Agawam Hunt, 7 p.m.

1916—May 17, dinner at the University Club.

1917—May 16, golf and dinner at the Wannamoisett Country Club.

1922—May 16, dinner at Providence Biltmore Hotel.

1923—May 18, breakfast at the University Club, 8 a.m.

1927—May 15-17, Norwich Inn, Norwich, Connecticut.

1932—May 16-17, Bayview Hotel, Jamestown, R. I. Saturday p.m.—golf, horseshoes, etc.; cocktail hour; banquet, with movies of 1932 in action and entertainment. Sunday—ball game and class dinner, with meeting and speaker from University. May 18, breakfast at the University Club, 8:15.

1939—May 16, dinner at the Old France Restaurant, 7 p.m.

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ceive students, their parents and friends and the alumni after the exercises. In some years the deans of Brown have had a separate reception on Class Day.

The Middle Campus should be in full green on Monday, May 18, when the colorful Commencement procession forms for its march down College Hill to the First Baptist Meeting House, and all other accoutrements of the occasion will be the same as in other years when Commencements were in June. Brown plans to keep its aca-

demic pageantry intact for one of its most highly prized traditional ceremonies.

► AFTER the graduation exercises the procession will return to the campus for an alumni luncheon. The annual Alumni Meeting is to be in Sayles Hall at 1:45, where guests of honor will speak and gifts to Brown during the year will be announced. Quentin J. Reynolds '24, war correspondent for *Collier's* magazine, and President Wriston will be the principal speakers. Prof. Zechariah Chafee, Jr., '07, Harvard Law School professor and authority on the Freedom of Speech, will be the presiding officer, while the Governor of Rhode Island will bring the State's greetings. President William P. Burnham '07 will announce the results of alumni elections for Trustees, Athletic Council and regional officers of the Associated Alumni. Vice-President James P. Adams will announce the gifts.

In a revival of Commencement Day baseball, Brown will meet Dartmouth at Aldrich Field after the Alumni Meeting. Another baseball game, with Rhode Island State, is on the schedule for the previous Saturday, May 16.

An innovation that should prove popular is a dinner arranged by the Engineering Association for Friday night, May 15, at the University Club. President Wriston and Dean Arnold are the announced speakers, with Joseph H. Stannard, Jr., '15 as chairman.

On Tuesday the University year ends with the annual Spring meeting of the Corporation. The first summer session comes, after a month's interval, on June 22 as Brown carries out its promise of year-round operation.

► INFORMATION on tickets to Commencement events has been communicated by Prof. H. N. Couch of the Commencement committee: No tickets will be needed for Pembroke's Ivy Day, which will be open to the public. Since the Graduate Convocation is being merged with the exercises of Commencement Day, there will be no tickets printed separately for the Graduate School. It is proposed to issue tickets for the Baccalaureate Service primarily but not necessarily exclusively to the parents of the graduating students. These tickets will indicate that the bearer may be admitted up to 2:45 p.m., after which time the general public will be admitted. Since there will be no outdoor dancing on Class Night, the student committee expects to reduce the size and importance of the occasion without actually excluding the general public if any persons wish to attend. Tickets may be purchased on the grounds.

As usual, it is expected that the University Club and the Faculty Club will keep open house on Commencement Day. The Alumni Office will be open throughout most of the Commencement week end to offer information and assistance. Returned alumni are asked to register there.

The Hermit of Carrie Tower

► ► THE draft, air raid precautions and priorities today provided the theme of Brown University's wartime Spring Day exercises — an occasion traditionally devoted to caustic treatment of college personalities and institutions.

The identity of the Spring Day speaker is a closely guarded secret until the moment he mounts the stairs of John Carter Brown Library on the campus for his peroration.

Last month's speaker was supposed to have been blown to the top of Carrie Tower on the corner of the campus at Prospect and Waterman streets by the 1938 hurricane, shortly after his arrival at Brown as a freshman, and to have led a hermit's existence up there ever since.

The draft board was supposedly after him and it got the bright idea that the best way to lure him out of his lair in the tower was to use a Pembroke lass as bait. As hundreds of students gathered at noon in front of the John Carter Brown Library, they beheld the hermit chasing the bait — impersonated by Pembroke Junior Lois Lindblom — and being chased in turn by the "draft board", whose members also happened to be the members of the Spring Day committee.

Miss Lindblom got away, but the hermit was caught and dragged to the top of the stairs, where he was disclosed to be Louis Smadbeck of the class of 1942.

Aside from his references to wartime conditions, Smadbeck's discourse did not differ greatly from those of his predecessors.

He paid his respects to Pembroke College by reporting that during the last blackout bands of Pembroke's were cruising around looking for Brown men and to the faculty by remarking that the bald spot on the head of an English professor had come close to spoiling the blackout on the campus.

He further announced that due to priorities members of the Brown football team will no longer be supplied with lead in their pants.

Ending on a serious note, Smadbeck told his classmates that "in these four years my amson has gone on as dansufal, of course, and I am happiest when sarcandis has lastardin the brange for dear old Brown."

Spring Sports Results

BASEBALL: Wesleyan 6, Brown 2. Brown 9, Yale 1. Amherst 1, Brown 0. Rhode Island 3, Brown 1. Providence 5, Brown 0. FRESHMAN BASEBALL: Brown 8, Andover 4. Brown 7, Worcester Academy 2. Rhode Island 8, Brown 2. Rhode Island 2, Brown 1. Brown 2, Dean Academy 1. GOLF: Brown 7½, M.I.T. 1½. Harvard 5, Brown 4. TENNIS: Brown 7, Coast Guard 2. Brown 6, Bowdoin 3. Amherst 8, Brown 1. FRESHMAN TENNIS: Brown 6, Worcester Academy 3. Brown 9, Cranston High 0. TRACK: Rhode Island 109, Brown 26. Holy Cross 89, Brown 45. Army 99 2/3, Brown 26 1/3. New Hampshire 75, Brown 60. FRESHMAN TRACK: Rhode Island 89, Brown 37. Brown 63 1/3, Worcester Academy 62 2/3. Brown 64, New Hampshire 62. FOOTBALL: Brown 19, Coast Guard 6.



**CARRIE TOWER:
Its "Hermit"
Has Left**



CHAPLAIN OF BROWN: The Rev. Arthur L. Washburn, resident counselor since 1935, will fill the newly created post in the University.

Brown Charter Bill Passed

► IN the closing days of its 1942 session, the Rhode Island General Assembly approved the bill which amends the Brown University Charter so that there would no longer be denominational qualifications for those who are members of the Brown Corporation or Faculty. The amendment would take effect upon endorsement by the University Corporation. The latter may act upon the matter at its annual meeting May 19, the day after Commencement. ◀ ◀

The Progress of the Fund

► DRIVING for a wartime Alumni Fund of \$50,000, Class Agents were told at the end of April that 2564 contributors had given \$27,087 up to that date. The totals represent a decrease of 211 contributors over the corresponding period in 1941, while gifts had increased by \$148.20. ◀ ◀

► Full-Fledged Football

► THE Sunday Night Quarterback had a broad grin on his face after the Brown-Coast Guard Academy tiff April 19, New England's first full-fledged spring football game, for the Bear had looked good in beating the cadets 19-6. There was drive and spirit worthy of an autumnal setting, new material had showed promise and proficiency, and the new Stahley modified "T" formation, though withholding its full repertory, delighted most of those who saw it in its first testing.

It was a colorful afternoon. The Brown Naval R.O.T.C. paraded in its first public appearance. The Coast Guard Academy cadet corps passed in review. President Wriston presented a stand of colors to the Coast Guard corps. The game itself had all the attributes of October and November. And a by-product of the afternoon was the raising of \$4742.73 for the Coast Guard Welfare Fund, one of the largest gifts the fund had ever received and made up from 5195 paid admissions, together with revenue from programs, parking, and concessions. (Brown shouldered all incidental expenses as host.)

Rated as pre-game favorites, the Brunonians clinched their triumph in the opening half when Bob Margarita and Doc Savage spearheaded two long drives in a manner reminiscent of their best last fall. Margarita's romp of 22 yards completed the 59-yard advance in the first quarter, while Savage pounded over from close-up after a 57-yard gallop on a punt return reverse. He scored again later from the one-yard line after a Cadet fumble had set up the opportunity 11 yards out. Coast Guard's score came on a 98-yard return of a punt with Carter reversing his field.

First downs were 11 to 9 in Brown's favor and rushing yardage 222 yards net to 53. Brown completed one of five pass attempts for 14 yards; Coast Guard eight of 20 for 127. Good punting popped up in the face of tricky wind conditions, with the Bruin averaging 41 yards.

Brown lined up as follows: Collier, l.e.; Campbell, l.t.; Teschner, l.g.; Ashley, c.; Down, r.g.; Montgomery, r.t.; Milner, r.e.; Bentley, q.b.; Margarita, l.h.; Bowen, r.h.; Savage, f.b. Reservers, most of whom saw considerable service as Stahley tried out his combinations, were: ends—MacNeill, Peden, Coogan, Smith; tackles—Fidler, Flower, Pitman, Mitchell; guards—Russell, Feinberg, Gates; centres—Regine, Karafotias; backs—Swingler, Bestor, Remick, Thomas, Babcock.

In normal times these men, newcomers and veterans, would make Brown's gridiron prospects for the fall very bright indeed. They had had the best spring practice on record, thanks in part to the incentive the regulation intercollegiate game provided. From all points of view, the experiment had been a great success. Many were urging that the game become an annual event. ◀ ◀

A Division of Modern Languages

► A DIVISION OF MODERN LANGUAGES, combining the former Department of Romance Languages and Literatures and the Department of Germanic Languages and Literatures, has been established at Brown University in order to simplify the administration of the University's foreign language studies. Prof. Hans Kurath, chairman of the Department of Germanic Languages, has been designated chairman of the new division. Prof. Kurath, who is editor

of the Linguistic Atlas of the United States and Canada, has been at Brown since 1927.

The teaching staff of the new division includes four professors, an associate professor, six assistant professors and seven instructors, who were formerly members of the staffs of the two separate departments. They will be responsible for instruction in French, German, Italian, and Spanish. Seventy-three courses for undergraduates and graduate students are being offered in modern languages and literature this year.

"The whole drift of opinion and action is toward simplification of departmental structure," President Wriston said in announcing the changes. At Brown, for example, Political Science and Sociology are joined together, and in Engineering, Electrical, Mechanical and Civil Engineering are all in one division.

Navy Duties for Gurll . . .

► JAMES W. GURLL '38, Executive Secretary of the Brown Alumni Fund since 1939, has been commissioned as a Lieutenant, junior grade, in the U. S. Naval Reserve assigned to ordnance duties. The University has given him a leave of absence for the duration of the war. His work on the Hill is being carried on by Nelson B. Jones '28, manager of Faunce House and secretary of the Brown Union.

Coming to Brown after being a junior industrial engineer with the Revere Copper and Brass Company, Lieutenant Gurll saw the Alumni Fund increase from \$35,502 in 1939 to \$42,307 last year. He has also been carrying on a large part of the general alumni work and Alumni Office routine as assistant to the Acting Director of Alumni Relations.

. . . and Nickerson

► STANTON P. NICKERSON, Director of the News Bureau at Brown University, has been commissioned as a Lieutenant, junior grade, in the United States Naval Reserve and reported for training in the A-V (S) indoctrination class at Quonset Point April 15. Brown has granted him a leave of absence for the duration of the war.

A graduate of Brown in the class of 1931, Mr. Nickerson has been head of the News Bureau since 1933. He was chairman of the New England District of the American College Publicity Association in 1938-39 and served on the national convention committee of the association in 1939.

Fisher of Harlem

BY WILLIAM T. HASTINGS

► ► THE late Rudolph Fisher—Brown 1919, Commencement orator, member of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi, graduate of the Medical School of Howard University, physician and surgeon in New York City, novelist and short story writer—is mentioned several times in the autobiography of the negro poet and novelist Langston Hughes, *The Big Sea*. The most interesting passage is as follows:

"Harlem was like a great magnet for the Negro intellectual, pulling him from everywhere. . . . The wittiest of these New Negroes of Harlem, whose tongue was flavored with the sharpest and saltiest humor, was Rudolph Fisher, whose stories appeared in the *Atlantic Monthly*. His novel, *Walls of Jericho*, captures but slightly the raciness of his own conversation.

"He was a young medical doctor and X-ray specialist, who always frightened me a little, because he could think of the most incisively clever things to say—and I could never think of anything to answer. He and Alain Locke together were great for intellectual wise-cracking. The two would

fling big and witty words about with such swift and punning innuendo that an ordinary mortal just sat and looked wary for fear of being caught in a net of witticisms beyond his cultural ken. I used to wish I could talk like Rudolph Fisher. Besides being a good writer, he was an excellent singer, and had sung with Paul Robeson during their college days. But I guess Fisher was too brilliant and too talented to stay long on this earth. During the same week, in December, 1934, he and Wallace Thurman both died."

Two years before his death Fisher published a second novel, *The Conjure Man Dies*, which might be called a detective story in black-face. It is clever and suave, and shows none of the racial self-consciousness which mars the art of many writers of his race. The current allusion to him reminds us again regretfully of his untimely death.

"Characteristic" Correspondent

► ► DAMON RUNYON's column, "The Brighter Side," held especial interest on March 18 when he wrote of a member of Brown's Class of 1918. The column was, as usual, copyrighted by King Features Service, Inc., and distributed by International News Service. It began:

► We ran into three newspapermen at different times in different places one day last week, all making ready to cast off for various remote spots on the globe where the fighting is going on as war correspondents.

Bill Chaplin, of *International News*, showed us the new style passport, which is now contained in flexible linen covers dotted with the government seal in a sort of montage effect, and we thought it quite an improvement on the old stiffish books that bulged the pistol pocket out fatly. Bill did not seem to think so.

He is a tall, skinny guy who does not look any too strong. But he must have amazing endurance as he flies oceans and continents in pursuit of wars with no more concern than if he was riding the subway down to the Battery. He has been in many theatres of war for *International* and is now headed for a new stage.

Bill is about 47 years old. (Brown men know him better as "Ike.") He was a soldier in the First World War and was cited for gallant conduct in the Argonne. He was wounded and gassed. After the war he was with various news services in different cities of Europe before joining *International*. When Italy went to war against Ethiopia, Bill was with the Italian army as a correspondent. He saw a lot of the campaigning there.

He went to France at the start of the Second World War and was with the British troops practically up to Dunquerque. When he returned to the United States he wrote of his experiences in diary form that was widely published in the American newspapers. He has been one of *International's* stars for some years and is regarded as one of the most brilliant men in the game.

Seeing Bill Chaplin reminded us that he is characteristic of the present day type of American war correspondent. Many of them now covering the war for the newspapers and news services of the United States are in their middle years and have been soldiers or sailors.

Commencement's Chief Marshal

► JAMES C. COLLINS '92, respected Providence attorney, will be Chief Marshal of Brown University's 1942 Commencement procession. The appointment, one of the high honors bestowed by Brown to its notable alumni, will take effect on the 50th anniversary of Mr. Collin's graduation. E. Tudor Gross '01 will be Chief of Staff, a post he has filled for the past several years.

In the Mail

L'Affaire Notte

Milwaukee

Dear Mr. Editor-in-Chief:

In reading the February issue of the MONTHLY I noted the published letter of my esteemed classmate, George B. Bullock, in which he announced his startling discovery of a moist spot or blot on the heretofore unblemished escutcheon of the illustrious Class of 1905.

As I read it, I wondered just how it came to pass that George, a resident of far away Massachusetts, happened to find himself on shady Fountain Street in Providence, immediately between the Police Station and Notte's Tap. I also wondered how it came about that the fugitive picture fell into the hands of Mr. Notte. I could not recall any classmate of that name, although it then occurred to me it might possibly be only an alias. Inasmuch as the letter cast no light on these incidental questions of the moment, I hazily dismissed the whole weighty matter from my mind.

Today I received a circular reprint of the letter, enclosed in an envelope stamped "Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island" and with facsimile of the official seal of the University imprinted thereon. From this it appears obvious that formal notice of the equivocal event has been taken by the high dignitaries of dear Alma Mater. Thus I have been jarred completely off the beam of my usual complacency about matters geographically so remote. I now realize that the fateful incident must be explained away. Otherwise, a rescue posse ought to be assembled and rushed into action before the moist spot becomes dry and indelible, the rampant dogs of war to the contrary notwithstanding. There will always be wars aplenty, but never another Class of 1905.

In view of the enduring vitality of the well known presumption of innocence, it is altogether probable that the matter has not until now been considered in its true perspective. It may be nothing more than cumulative visual evidence of our democratic way of life.

I do not recall ever having gazed upon the now historic photograph of the Class taken on the occasion of its Decennial Reunion. For all I know, some of the members present may have sported beards. If such were the case, should Mr. Notte be condemned willy nilly for resorting to business as usual? He may have been merely making an early announcement of the approach of the Bock Beer season. Moreover, the pictorial galaxy in question may have been exhibited as a badge and sure reminder of the respectability of Mr. Notte's business. In the year 1915 there were still comparatively few bald heads in the Class, and so it may have been only another instance of enterprise and resourcefulness seizing opportunity by the forelock.

There are many other reasons, equally as valid and convincing, why Mr. Notte ought not to be thus held up to ridicule and threatened with the dire countermeasures proposed in the two present and any future editions of the published letter. As an al-

ternative, I suggest that a committee of inquiry be appointed to investigate the matter and ferret out all the facts before recourse is had to poster picketing or sabotage to make the punishment fit the alleged crime. If post mortem committees can explain away the implications arising from such incidents as the wrecking of the Normandie and the rape of Pearl Harbor, a similar committee should be equally as successfully in erasing the bacchanal blemish from the good name of the Class of 1905.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE A. GESSNER '05.

Freshmen on Varsities

► BROWN UNIVERSITY Freshmen will be eligible to play on all Varsity teams during the war emergency, beginning with the summer semester on June 22, Dean Samuel T. Arnold told members of the Advisory Council of Brown's Associated Alumni.

"We want to make sure that students have every opportunity to compete in intercollegiate sports," Dean Arnold said. "Unless such a move is taken, students would have fewer seasons to play under our

speeded-up educational program. The value of intercollegiate sports in developing sound bodies, leadership and character is doubly important in wartime and should be encouraged."

He made it clear that eligibility rules for scholastic standing will remain in force. Under the new plan, similar to arrangements made by other colleges and universities in recent weeks, no Freshman teams will be organized after Commencement on May 18.

Brown intends to have Junior Varsity teams instead and to encourage general participation in athletics. All coaches are to be retained, according to Thomas W. Taylor, director of athletics. Plans are being made for intercollegiate sports events during the summer, but their full extent or character has not been announced.

Freshmen have not been eligible for Varsity competition at Brown since 1922, when present eligibility rules were drawn up. Brown's Committee on Student Organizations, of which Dean Arnold is chairman, has authorized the revised set-up. ◀

► ► Brunonians Far and Near

BY A. H. GURNEY '07

Praising Judge Hall

► "THE bench and bar will long remember him as the near-perfect judge of a Commonwealth which has been distinguished for its judges more than a century and a half." This was the final tribute in a *Boston Herald* editorial on Walter Perley Hall '89, whose death was reported in the last issue of the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY. It called Judge Hall "an ideal Chief Justice of the Superior Court and had an ideal aptitude and training for the position." The writer continued:

"A college education, a law school degree, practice at the bar, experience in city affairs as solicitor for Fitchburg and in county affairs as an assistant district attorney, a dash of politics, a wide acquaintance, first hand familiarity with business transactions and utilities as chairman of the state railroad commission, and eleven years as associate judge by appointment of Democratic Governor Foss, when Republican Governor Cox appointed him Chief Justice,—what a well-rounded career it was!

"He was essentially the lawyer and the judge, taking his profession and his duties very seriously, but he found plenty of time for the exercise on his gregarious instincts. He was active in church, military and social circles, and was especially at his ease in the old St. Botolph Club. The portrait of him by his fellow Botolphian, the late W. M. Paxton, which was in the recent memorial exhibit and hangs in the Worcester court house, shows him in his impressive prime. That picture was a source of continual delight to him, as well as to Paxton.

"Mr. Hall's friends were so numerous and the friendships so close that the long period of illness, during which he lay in bed motionless, with his mind functioning as alertly as ever, was a grievous affliction,

but he bore it uncomplainingly and even cheerfully, to the very end. Visits from his cronies of other days lightened his final years." ◀

Three at Lehigh

► WHEN Dr. Duncan Stewart, Jr., joined the department of Geology, Lehigh University, last fall, he became the third colleague and student of Emeritus Professor Charles W. Brown '00 to link Lehigh with Brown, the University, and Brown, the teacher. Head of the geology staff at Lehigh is Dr. Bradford Willard, who taught at Brown from 1923 to 1930; and Dr. Lawrence Whitcomb '22, who recalls old Rhode Island Hall with affection, is Associate Professor.

Dr. Stewart, graduate of University of Michigan '28, won his Sc.M. at Brown in 1930, and was assistant in geology while on the Hill. From Brown he went back to Michigan, qualified for the Ph.D., and was instructor in geology at Carleton College until Dr. Willard asked him to come to Lehigh.

His chief work has been in petrology, petrography, and engineering geology, and he is considered an authority on Antarctic petrography. As a member of the U. S. Antarctic Service Expedition, he made the most of his opportunity to observe and study first hand, as well as to get material for later investigation. A recently proffered assignment was to work up microscopically the Expedition's collections from the Melchior Islands. ◀

1870

► ► UNDER the title "Suffield Immortals," the winter edition of *Suffield Academy News* carried a concise, informative sketch of the late Dr. E. Benjamin Andrews, the University's eighth President and also a Brown immortal. Andrews entered Connecticut Literary Institution, now Suffield

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School, in his 17th year. He was on crutches at the time, his left foot having been severely injured. He left school to enlist in the First Connecticut Heavy Artillery, fought through the Civil War, in which he lost an eye before Petersburg, won his degree at Brown and went back to Suffield to be the school's principal from 1870 to 1872.

1881

Charles Evans Hughes, retired Chief Justice of the United States, observed his 80th birthday with his children and grandchildren in New York, April 11. "Keenly interested in the war, he has aided the Red Cross and other campaigns," said a news story, "but has avoided public appearances." The *New York Herald Tribune* in a felicitous editorial spoke of his "incisive mind and clear thinking," and his readiness always to "speak bluntly even when to do so was to court unpopularity. . . . He has the nation's wishes for continuing good health and for as large a measure of contentment and happiness as any one can have in this sick world."

1882

Charles H. S. Weaver, writing last month from his home in Waterford, Conn., said that he intended to take part in Commencement and to observe the 60th anniversary of his graduation.

1891

Miss Lucie Elizabeth Meader, daughter of Rev. Charles A. Meader and Mrs. Meader of East Greenwich, was married to Sergt. Robert L. Abbey, Air Force, U.S.A., in All Saints' Church, Chevy Chase, Md., April 13, 1942. The bride's father performed the ceremony.

N. G. Proctor, whose summer address is Townsend Harbor, Mass., spent the winter at 25 West Livingston Ave., Orlando, Fla.

1893

Dr. A. T. Belknap, visiting in California, met Classmate Rev. Joseph Walther and Dr. Frederick Lent '00 in Los Angeles in March, and "the three of us, with Mrs. Belknap, had lunch together." Walther's present address is 1142 Green St., Glendale, Calif.

1894

Dr. Harold D. Hazeltine, Emeritus Professor of Law, Cambridge University, England, is doing research at Harvard Law School, and is living at 12 Farwell Place, Cambridge, Mass.

Rev. Francis C. R. Jackson and Mrs. Jackson, the former Mrs. Bernardine Durkee of Seattle, Wash., are now at home at 120 West Olive Ave., Redlands, Calif. The Jacksons were married in Seattle, Nov. 15, 1941.

1896

Rev. Dr. Clarence M. Gallup, Recording Secretary of Northern Baptist Convention, gave the anniversary address on the occasion of the celebration of the 75th birthday of Morehouse College, Atlanta, Ga., in February. Morehouse College, of which the late John Hope '94 was President for 25 years, has been sponsored by the American Baptist Home Mission Society, the General Education Board, and the Board of Education of Northern Baptist Convention.

Rev. John M. Hunt, one of our Philadelphia correspondents wrote a month ago, has been "very sick" at his home, 706 Hirst Ave., Upper Darby, Pa.

Robert C. Vose and Mrs. Vose of Brookline, Mass., have announced the engage-

ment of their daughter, Miss Helen Williams Vose, to George Webb Carr of Warren. Miss Vose is a graduate of Briardiff Junior College; Mr. Carr of Randolph Macon College.

The library of the American Peace Society, which our late classmate, Arthur Deerin Call, built up as the Society's secretary and editor, and which Mrs. Call began to classify and catalogue about 20 years ago, has been deposited with American University in Washington, where it will be more accessible to users. At the time of transfer, Dr. Philip Marshall Brown, the Society's president, said: "The American Peace Society is immensely indebted to its efficient librarian, Mrs. Arthur Deerin Call, who as the devoted comrade of her husband . . . labored unselfishly for many years to organize, classify, and catalogue this valuable collection. It is most fortunate that she will be able to continue to supervise its further development."

1897

After being in educational work for 35 years, Charles A. Harris has retired and is living in Fairhaven, Mass., place of his birth. During the past five years his avocation has been weekly contributions of an historical nature, all dealing with Fairhaven, which have been printed in the local newspaper. Harris spent 29 of his 35 years as superintendent of schools in Massachusetts.

Two of John D. Rockefeller, Jr.'s five sons, David and Winthrop, are in the U. S. Army. David has just enlisted as a private. Winthrop volunteered in January, 1941, and became a second lieutenant in January this year. Nelson A. Rockefeller, the second oldest brother, is Co-ordinator of Inter-American Affairs, with his headquarters in Washington.

Citizens of the Town of Manchester, Mass., testified their respect for the memory of the late Raymond C. Allen at a special town meeting in March. The resolution on our classmate noted that he had "dedicated his life to the promotion of the best interests of his community," and characterized him as "a man of dignity, firmness, and of unimpeachable character."

Francis B. Richards reports Sandy Hook, Conn., as his summer address after having been in Indian Rocks, Fla., through the winter and early spring.

1898

Richard R. Hunter, Vice-President of Chase National Bank, New York, celebrated on last April 15, the anniversary of 40 years of service with Chase National and a predecessor institution.

Frederick Hovey Franklin, special student with the Class in 1894-95, chemist and chairman of the board of Fram Corp., East Providence, died suddenly at the wheel of his motor car while driving on Angell St., Providence, March 19, 1942. Since leaving college he had been chemist with C. S. Bush Co., Saunders & Franklin, head of the Franklin Laboratory, and director of Fram Corp. He was a member of the American Chemical Society, Providence Engineering Society, American Society of Metals, the Odd Fellows and the Masons. He was born in Providence, Aug. 19, 1873, the son of Leander S. and Adelaide (Branch) Franklin. He married Miss Cleora L. Matteson on Oct. 2, 1895. Mrs. Franklin survives, with a son, Capt. Stanley H. Franklin, Signal Corps, U.S.A.

1899

Ira M. Cushing reports that he has retired from Boston Edison Co. after 18 years' service and is now with Jackson & Moreland, consulting engineers, 51 St. James Ave., Boston. Cushing's house address is 20 Rawson Rd., Wollaston, Mass.

Russell W. Baker's new house address is 20 Chapel St., Longwood Towers, Brookline, Mass.

The Green Mountain Club by unanimous vote has elected Mellinger E. Henry an honorary member. "In this small way does our Club pay tribute to your interest in the outdoors, your accomplishment of having hiked the entire length of the Appalachian Trail, and the stimulus you have given to hiking in general," the Club secretary wrote after the 1942 annual meeting, and added: "We are not unmindful, also, of your achievements in the field of folk songs."

1901

Walter Smith is in St. Luke's Hospital, New York, recovering from a third operation on a hip which was broken when he was hit by a taxicab. "Walter has been in a cast from neck to feet for many weeks," his brother, W. Armour Smith '08, wrote in mid-April, "and it is hoped that this third operation will be successful."

Col. G. A. Taylor, new secretary of the Connecticut Valley Game Bird Association, engineered a field trial on pheasants in the Northampton meadows on April 19, and his mystery English setter Hadleigh Fire Chief placed in both novice and derby. The Chief came to Norwottock Kennels from parts unknown.

1902

Fred H. Gabbi is chairman of the Appeal Board for Southern Maine under the Selective Service Act. As a director of the International Association of Lions Clubs, he is frequently in demand as speaker before Lions Clubs in Maine and elsewhere in New England. He made one of his April appearances before the Auburn-Lewiston Lions Club, we read in the *Lewiston Journal*.

1903

Dr. Howard Dexter Smith's son, Dexter N. Smith, is studying this year at the University of Virginia. Young Smith came to Brown in the Class of 1941, and decided to go to Virginia in September, 1940.

1904

Dr. Guy Blandin Colburn has completed his 20th year as Professor of Languages at Fresno State College, Fresno, Calif.

Representative Asa Lloyd Briggs completed last month his third term as a member of the Rhode Island House in which he sits on the Republican side as member from Hopkinton.

Dr. Harry W. Hastings' mother, Mrs. Ellen M. Thomson Hastings, died at the Hastings home in Albany, N. Y., Feb. 10, 1942. Mrs. Hastings was the widow of Charles W. Hastings '78, who died in 1936.

1905

George A. Gessner's law offices are now at 735 N. Water St., Milwaukee, Wis., where George lives at 2911 N. Summit Ave.

DeWitt C. Eggleston, certified public accountant with Haskins & Sells, 22 East 40th St., New York, and lecturer in cost accounting at the College of the City of New York, writes his new mail address is Griffin Ave., Scarsdale, N. Y., in care of C. Withington.

Leonard W. Cronkhite wrote two articles for the *Boston Herald* late in March de-

scribing the auxiliary State Guard in Massachusetts. Cronkhite has been training the guardsmen, one of our Boston correspondents reports.

Paul C. DeWolf is recuperating from an attack of pneumonia that laid him low as April was approaching. . . . James H. Connolly is also out of action, but his sister is giving him the best of care, and his fine, upstanding son is a help and a comfort.

1906

Arthur F. Driscoll and Mrs. Driscoll have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marjorie Driscoll, to Lt. William T. Tucker, U. S. Marine Corps. Miss Driscoll is a member of the Class of 1942 at DePauw University; Lt. Tucker is a graduate of DePauw '41, and is on duty at Quantico, Va. Engagement of Miss Ethel Mary Driscoll to Paul Mallory was announced last February.

William Willett is the newly appointed first vice-president of the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, with which he has been connected since 1914 and of which he has been cashier since 1919. He is chairman of the advisory committee, Boston Chapter, American Institute of Banking, and has been president of Boston National Bank Cashiers Association and of the Bank Officers Association.

Charles A. Lundell has left the piney woods of Maine for the more open reaches of Connecticut, with his present address at 30 Wind Rd., East Hartford.

Miss Felicia Lamport, daughter of Mrs. Samuel C. Lamport and our late classmate, was married at her mother's home in New York April 16, to Benjamin Kaplan, lawyer. Mrs. Kaplan is a graduate of Vassar College, Mr. Kaplan of Columbia Law School, where he was editor-in-chief of *The Columbia Law Review*.

Miss Esther H. Swaffield, daughter of Rev. W. Douglas Swaffield and Mrs. Swaf-

field, and Ensign Russell Remage, Jr., U.S.N., were married by the bride's father at the Swaffield home in Taunton, Mass., April 18, 1942. Harold A. Swaffield '10 of Fairfield, Conn., gave his niece in marriage, and Gordon D. Swaffield '43 was best man. Mrs. Remage is a graduate of Wellesley College, Ensign Remage of the University of West Virginia.

1907

After talking it all over at a dinner meeting at the University Club, Providence, April 16, the Reunion Committee agreed that our 35th should start Friday evening, May 15, and carry through Commencement, Monday, May 18. Informal is the word for the whole reunion. As replies to Secretary Branch's letter come back, the shape of the final program will be determined. No need to put on any special pressure, as every member of the committee knows that you will come back if you possibly can, and will come as early and stay as long as you can. Besides Branch, the men present at the April 16 meeting were Chairman Brooks, Cummings, Shan Clark, Bill Burnham, Schwartz, Little, Gurney, McCann, and Harold Miller who takes Chet Snow's place as treasurer. President Hurley's doctor told him to stay home, and Chet Snow was also temporarily inactive. We are happy to report that both are back in circulation again.

As this is written (April 20), no reliable word is at hand concerning the whereabouts of George E. Burnham and Henry W. Corp in the Philippines. The State Department's list of Americans in Manila contained an E. Burnham, who may or may not be related to George. The *Providence Journal* listed Lieut. Henry W. Corp, 180 Bowen St., Providence (father's address) as being with Gen. Wainwright's troops on Bataan.

Fred Auty wrote last month from Los

Angeles: "In case I don't get a chance to write you again before reunion, be sure to give my best regards to all the boys. And tell Doug Allan, Fred Lane, Joe Grover, and Spec Paine I sure would like to sit in with them on a little contract. . . . Tell Bill Burnham I'm still wearing his famous brand of shoes. I could go on *ad infinitum* with personal regards, but I'll store them up for first hand delivery in 1947." Fred and Mrs. Auty live at 2915 Sunset Place, where the welcome sign is always out for '07 men. Fred likes California, but he doesn't know how long he will be out there doing work on anti-trust cases for the Department of Justice.

Commander Charles Hibbard, U.S.N., is supervisor of Navy shipbuilding in Oregon, where one shipyard in Portland is launching a 10,000-ton Liberty freighter every six days.

Rev. Phanuel B. Covell has retired from the Baptist ministry and is living with his sister at 44 Midland St., Worcester, Mass.

Prof. Benjamin G. Sinclair of Rhode Island College of Education is vice-president, and Harold E. Miller is treasurer of the Vermont Club of Rhode Island. Walter Murray's wife is a member, so Walter usually manages to be invited to the spring meeting, an authentic Vermont "sugaring off."

Col. Dana T. Gallup, veteran of the First World War and one of the Massachusetts National Guard's foremost officers since 1919, is Massachusetts State Judge Advocate in this war.

1908

Joseph A. Vernon, noting the fact that his new house address is 47 Claremont Ave., New York, adds that he is still seriously at work as special representative of Union Central Life Insurance Co., with his office at 225 Broadway.

Ben Frost, our Class president and the sage of Rhinebeck, N. Y., had a brief reunion with Dr. Thomas, Les Swain, and Al Gurney '07 after church at the First Baptist, Providence, Sunday, March 29. Ben was passing through Providence on a business trip.

1909

Dr. Moses L. Crossley's radio interview by Fulton Lewis, Jr., on sulfa-drugs, heard in February over a coast-to-coast hookup, has been reprinted from *Calco Diamond* and copies sent to all members of the Brown University Club in New York, as well as to others. The *Calco Diamond* is the house organ of Calco Chemical Division, American Cyanamid Co., Bound Brook, N. J., where Mose is director of research. Under his direction, sulfanilamide was first produced commercially.

Dr. Billy Buffum is vice-president of Providence Tuberculosis League for the current year; Al Poland is on the executive committee; Albert Harkness is a director; and H. S. Chafee is a new member of the Corporation.

H. Minot Pitman sets himself down as genealogist, with his preferred mail address, 88 Summit Ave., Bronxville, N. Y., and his home, Southerton House, Pequot Trail, Stonington, Conn.

Harold High, teacher of the Probasco Bible Class of First-Park Baptist Church, Plainfield, N. J., was guest of members of the class at breakfast Sunday, March 15, to observe the 14th anniversary of his leadership.



ALL IN SERVICE: When James H. Case, Jr., came to Brown as Secretary of the University, these three officers were associated with him: James L. Whitecomb, upper left; James W. Gurll, lower left; and Stanton P. Nickerson, in charge respectively of Alumni Relations, Alumni Fund Office and News Bureau. All three are now in the uniform of their country.

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Howard Alger's boy, Jarvis Howard Alger '43, will be managing editor of the 1943 *Liber Brunensis*.

Miss Mary Jewett Taylor, only daughter of Frank C. Taylor and Mrs. Taylor, was married April 25 in the chapel of Colgate-Rochester Divinity School, Rochester, N. Y., to Corp. Hubert F. Frankenfeld, U.S.A., of Fort Williams, Me. Carter Taylor, Jr., the bride's brother, was an usher. Mrs. Frankenfeld is a graduate of University of Rochester, Corp. Frankenfeld of University of Pennsylvania, where he was a member of Theta Delta Chi and Mask and Wig Club.

1910

Benjamin D. Miller and Mrs. Miller have announced the recent marriage of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Dwight Miller, to Sergt. Kenneth B. Fletcher, U. S. A., at the Union Church, Waban, Mass. Ben continues busy as president and treasurer of Suffolk Thread Co., Inc., 67 Chauncey St., Boston.

Rev. Allan D. Creelman marks Oct. 14, 1941, with a special symbol, as on that day he and Mrs. Creelman became grandparents, a daughter Susan being born to Dr. and Mrs. Philip B. Perry, Jr. Mrs. Perry is the former Rosalie J. Creelman, Wellesley '39. Creelman is in his 22nd year as pastor of the First Baptist Church, North Scituate, Mass., and next October will observe the 29th anniversary of his ordination.

The Joseph B. Keenans have the sincere sympathy of the Class in the loss of their son and brother, Joseph B. Keenan, Jr., who died in Georgetown, D. C., Hospital, April 6. Young Keenan, 17 years old, was a student at Georgetown Preparatory School. He is survived by his parents (the Keenan home is at 10 Hesketh St., Chevy Chase, Md.), two brothers and a sister.

Frank L. Mansur, superintendent of schools, Swampscott, Mass., is an associate member of the Swampscott Advisory Board, helping registrants fill out their questionnaires in connection with Selective Service. (Yes, Frank filled out his own questionnaire on April 27.)

New address for Frederic L. Trover, we are told, is 12384 Cedar Rd., Cleveland, O.

Your Secretary records with regret the death of T. Russell Symmes at Lawrence Memorial Hospital, Medford, Mass., March 31, 1942, and extends to his mother, brother, and sister, the sympathy of the Class. Symmes, a civil engineer, had been with the Massachusetts State Department of Public Works for many years.

1911

J. F. (Jake) High is working for Ordnance, U. S. A., at the Berwick, Pa., plant of American Car & Foundry Co.

Clifford J. Cawley is the recently appointed hearing officer in the Workmen's Compensation Division, Rhode Island Department of Labor. Cliff said that he would resign as member of the East Providence Democratic Committee, of which he was formerly chairman, as any one in the classified service of the State cannot belong to a political committee.

LeRoy G. Pilling, counsel for Legal Aid Society of Rhode Island, has been renamed to the Advisory Council, Rhode Island State Welfare Department, by Governor McGrath. The term is for five years, and Pilling will again be the Council's chairman.

1912

Dean George V. Kendall of Wabash College, Crawfordsville, Ind., is Lieut. Col. Kendall at present on active duty at Fort Mason, Calif. We haven't heard as yet in what branch George is serving. He was in the field artillery in the last war.

Miss Barbara Blake, daughter of Preble W. Blake and Mrs. Blake, and Hugh Minor Swan of East Providence were married at the Blake home in Rumford, April 4. Preble gave his daughter in marriage.

1913

Lemuel H. Thompson began his new duties the first of this month as Relief Director for Morristown, N. J. During the past ten years Thompson has worked for the Morris County Welfare Board and the Morris County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. As a member of Resolute Hook and Ladder Co., he's one of the best known volunteer firemen in his part of New Jersey.

Judge Ira Lloyd Letts and Mrs. Letts have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Barbara Slater Letts, to Oswald Garrison Villard, Jr., of New York and Palo Alto, Calif., where he is instructor in electrical engineering at Stanford University. Miss Letts is a graduate of Mills College, Mer. Villard of Yale.

Prof. Leighton T. Bohl is vice-chairman of the special committee named by Mayor Dennis J. Roberts to revise the Providence building code.

Alfred B. Lemon, president of E. L. Logee Co., jewelers, is the newly appointed public shelter officer of Providence Civilian Defense Council assigned by Chairman Herbert M. Sherwood '09 to select and prepare at least 50 shelters in the downtown area for use in air raids.

Lt. Col. Karl D. Gardner is on duty at the Array Exchange Service, 111 8th Ave., New York.

Duncan Langdon and Mrs. Langdon recently celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary. Mrs. Langdon was Lois Bliss of Providence. The Langdons have two daughters (one married) and a son in his teens who likes airplanes. Dunc not long ago made a trip to Texas to look over some oil properties in which his clients are interested. He runs his own investment company, you know.

1914

Col. Spencer A. Townsend, I.G.D., has recently been on duty at Headquarters, Third Army Corps, Presidio of Monterey, Calif.

Philip R. Arnold and Mrs. Arnold of Providence have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dorothy Rhodes Arnold, to Stanley E. Cate '43, son of Arthur W. Cate and Mrs. Cate.

Abraham Feitelberg is practising law at 60 Wall St., he writes, and lives at 780 Riverside Drive, New York.

F. R. (Fritz) Hazard's aircraft spotting book which Fritz compiled that spotters in Rhode Island might be able to learn easily to identify friendly and foreign aircraft is now in use at Ellington Field, Texas. A thousand copies were sent there last month as text books for air cadets in training. Copies have also been mailed to defense councils in at least 13 States in response to requests for them.

Tenney Thurber reports his new mail address to be 320 Tappan St., Brookline, Mass.

1915

J. Eugene Hart is a broker with E. F. Hutton Co., 61 Broadway, New York. His present house address is 267 Ryder Rd., Manhasset, N. Y.

John A. Morgan has moved from Oakland to 1814 5th Ave., Sacramento, Calif., according to recent reports, and Morgan B. Haven's new address is Golden Spur, Waterford, Conn.

Bill Crolius '41, son of William C. Crolius, Jr., and Mrs. Crolius, is a seaman, 2nd class, U. S. Coast Guard, recently on duty at Manhattan Beach Training Station, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Harold M. Tucker, Representative from Barrington to the Rhode Island General Assembly, ended his second term last month. A Republican, he has not yet said that he will be a candidate for renomination next fall.

Harold M. (Cap) Taylor spoke up for prompt planning on oil and gasoline supply relief in a recent letter to the editor of the *Providence Evening Bulletin*. "Whether the solution is pipelines, inland waterways and barges, and tank cars, or a combination, with improved patrolling of the coastal waters, is beside the point," Cap wrote. "Now is the time to plan to relieve the situation before it becomes even more acute—not next September."

Dr. Philip C. Scherer, Jr., is now full professor of Physical Chemistry at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, the Faculty of which he joined in 1929.

1916

Barclay L. Jones, headmaster of Friends Central School, Overbrook, Pa., is carrying on his good work with prospective students. One of our correspondents at the Brown dinner in Philadelphia last month wrote that Barclay had several fine boys as his guests.

Henry B. Osborn, teacher in the Rockingham, Vt., public schools, is living at 19 School St., Bellows Falls, Vt.

John Pitkin Palmer and Mrs. Palmer of Lee, Mass., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Jacqueline Palmer, to Curtis Ambler of Lee. Miss Palmer is a Senior at Beaver College, Jenkintown, Pa., where she is editor of *The Beaver Review*, the college literary magazine, and prominent in other extra curricular affairs. Mr. Ambler is a graduate of Worcester Polytechnic Institute and a candidate for commission in the U. S. Naval Reserve.

Dr. Samuel R. Damon, Director of Laboratories, Alabama State Department of Public Health, spent a considerable part of April touring the State and speaking before medical students at Alabama Polytechnic Institute, University of Alabama, Huntingdon College, and other institutions. Sam read a paper in March at the annual meeting of the Alabama Academy of Science in Birmingham, and has recently published three papers in national technical journals.

1917

When Wallace Wade left Duke University in March to become Maj. Wallace Wade, F.A., U. S. A., he was told that Duke looked forward to his return to his position as director of athletics and head football coach "after the war time emergency has passed." *The Duke Alumni Register* said that Wade's "lifetime coaching record—beginning with his tenure at Fitzgerald-Clarke in 1919—is 177 victories, 35 defeats, and 8 ties. . . . His complete Rose

Bowl record shows 2 victories, 2 defeats and one tie." In his 11 seasons at Duke his teams have won 85 games, lost 19, and tied 3.

Frederic H. Bontecou is a candidate for nomination to the seat in the New York State Senate from the 28th Senatorial District, which he represented from 1935 to 1938. He is chairman of the Dutchess County Republic Committee.

Capt. Robert C. Padley, U. S. A., retired, is living at 1520 Alameda Ave., Alameda, Calif.

Thomas B. Appleget, vice-president of the Rockefeller Foundation, "has bought a house of 12 rooms and four baths in the Round Hill section of Greenwich, Conn.," the *New York Herald Tribune* said late last month.

Robert M. Watson's new mail address is 818 Devon Place, Alexandria, Va. Maybe Bob will tell us soon what he is doing down there in the neighborhood of Washington.

Lt. Col. Ralph A. Armstrong, F.A. (anti-aircraft) has recently been on duty at Fort Totten, N. Y.

Dr. Leslie R. Taber came back to the campus one day late in April, his first visit, he said at the Alumni Office, in 25 years. He brought his camera along to note the changes on the Hill. His son is already talking about coming to Brown. The Tabers live at 292 Broadway, Paterson, N. J.

1918

Lt. Col. John C. Butner, Jr., F.A., and Maj. Wallace Wade '17, team mates on the Brown eleven that played in the Rose Bowl in 1916, met again late in March at Fort Bragg, N. C., Field Artillery Replacement Training Center when Wade reported for duty. Butner is in command of the 10th Battalion. Wade will supervise training and instruction in the battalion. Both Butner and Wade are veterans of the First World War.

Carroll B. Larrabee, president of Printers Ink Publishing Co., asserted at an advertising clinic in New York last month that "until the United States Government first has been convinced of the tremendous job that advertising (as opposed to publicity) can do, and has set up agencies for coordinating the advertising effort, the question of whether advertising shall be paid for or not is academic." ... Larry also added that advertisers and agencies should shake themselves to "capitalize on present opportunities," because "there are too many advertisers and too many agencies living in the cloud-cuckoo land of things as they were."

Charles H. Eden is the first candidate for Republican nomination for Governor of Rhode Island to sail his hat into the ring. After indorsement last month by the State Council of Rhode Island Young Republicans, Charlie indicated that he would accept nomination if he had the opportunity. He's a member of the Republican State Central Committee, opposes isolationism, supports President Roosevelt's war policy in its main points, and is an original Wendell Willkie booster.

J. Harold Williams, executive secretary of Narragansett Council, Boy Scouts of America, is a member of the publicity committee of Providence Civilian Defense Council. Harold (or Jimmy as we knew him then) was once one of the *Providence Journal's* bright young staff reporters, you will recall.

Tom Hall, new Freshman baseball coach on the Hill, has the sympathy of the Class in the loss of his mother, Mrs. Lucy (Merrill) Hall, who died at her Greenville home, Smithfield, R. I., April 2. Besides Tom, her survivors include a daughter, Dr. May Hall James '09, Pembroke College, a son, Willard B. Hall '06, and a grandson, William H. James '33.

Your Secretary, Capt. Walter Adler, U. S. A., is in charge of the Army Emergency Relief Funds for the Harbor Defenses, Boston Area. Walter is special service officer for the Harbor Defenses. The funds have been set aside to take care of families of service men in need.

1919

Lt. Col. Albert W. Johnson, Judge Advocate General's Department, U. S. A., is at present on duty at Headquarters, 4th Army Corps, Camp Beauregard, La.

Donald G. Millar, Chairman of the Board of Greenfield Tap & Die Corp., now has his New York office at 15 Warren St.

Fred B. Perkins has been re-elected as chairman of the Rhode Island State Public Utilities Hearing Board.

Laurence H. Johnson has recently changed his mail address to 207 Kilburn Rd., Garden City, N. Y.

Arthur J. Levy is the 1942 chairman of the Providence Council of Social Agencies, having been elected at the annual meeting last month. He is a director and former president of the Jewish Welfare Society.

1920

Elmer G. (Doc) Armstrong is employment supervisor with the New York Telephone Co., with his office at 101 Willoughby St., Brooklyn. Doc, however, still lives in his beloved New Jersey—1314 North Ave., Elizabeth, to be exact.

Dr. Marshall N. Fulton has the job this year of organizing the physicians on behalf of the Greater Boston Community Fund. Why the types made Marshall's last name Fullerton in a recent issue is beyond us.

Walter B. Lister is city editor of the *Philadelphia Record*, with his new mail address 1928 Panama St., Philadelphia. Young Mr. Walter B. Lister (not Junior) is in the Class of 1943 on the Hill.

Lloyd P. Zellers has recently moved from Pleasant St. to 24 Waconah Rd., Worcester, Mass.

1921

William T. Brightman has been commissioned as Major, U. S. Army, and assigned to duty at Wright Field, Dayton, O. Bill's job is plant protection, which is in line with the work he has been doing as engineer and inspector with What Cheer Mutual Fire Insurance Co., Providence.

George W. Potter, chief editorial writer of the *Providence Journal* and George R. Ashbey, advertising manager of Nicholson File Co., are members of the publicity committee of Providence Civilian Defense Council.

Rev. Herbert E. MacCombie is Chaplain, attached to the 43rd Division Artillery, Camp Shelby, Miss. You can write him through APO 43.

William W. Wilcox, Jr., is editor of the *Syracuse Herald-Journal*, with his office at 220 Herald Place, Syracuse. He lives at 403 Lansdowne Rd., Dewitt, N. Y.

Lloyd A. B. Sheeran is the new production manager of Narragansett Machine Co., Pawtucket. He took over late last month

after resigning as supervisor of production for Builders Iron Foundry, where he was also in charge of designing.

Allan B. Colby reports a change of mail address to 22 Francis Place, Caldwell, N. J., and Roger P. Jenks writes he has left the rural scene of Pittsford, N. Y., to settle at 15 Jenison St., Newtonville, Mass.

1922

Albert E. Fowler, Jr., back on the campus one day last month, is working with the Hal Horne group, 20th Century Fox Film Co., 1775 Broadway, New York. Al covers a large part of the country, going as far west as Washington. He and his family continue to live at 14 Essex St., Newburyport, Mass.

Milton H. Glover, vice-president of Hartford National Bank & Trust Co., is the newly appointed chairman of the Connecticut State Committee on Recreation.

Harold E. Deady, mechanical engineer with E. I. DuPont de Nemours & Co., Wilmington, Del., writes his new house address is 407 Broadway Blvd., Gordon Heights, in that busy city.

Francis C. Bidwell is on the sales staff of Midcity Machinery & Scale Co., with his office at 116 Morgan St., and his home at 4619 Woodmere Rd., Tampa, Fla.

Richard D. Greene reports a change of house address to 1409 Euclid Ave., Syracuse, N. Y., where he has spent ten busy years as chief probation officer of the Court of Special Sessions and the Children's Court.

S. Watson Remington, Jr., is with American Bosch Corp., 225 Chapman St., Providence. Watson has the sympathy of the Class in the loss of his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Remington, who died suddenly in East Providence, March 27.

Your Secretary records with regret the death of Albert Chester Lewis at the U. S. Veterans' Hospital, Bedford, Mass., Feb. 1, 1942. Lewis, born in Pawtucket, May 22, 1900, was the son of Albert H. and Emma F. (Ramsbottom) Lewis. He came to Brown as a member of S. A. T. C., and withdrew before the end of Freshman year. His mother and two brothers survive.

1923

Wyman Worthington is carrying on his own business as a manufacturer's agent, with his office at 401 North Broad St., Philadelphia. His house address continues to be Mermont Plaza, Bryn Mawr, Pa.

Arvid N. Larson is an engineer with Standard Machinery Co., 1475 Elmwood Ave., Cranston, and lives at 64 Moorland Ave., Edgewood, R. I.

George H. Young, practicing law at 594 Pleasant St., New Bedford, has recently changed his house address to Highland Ave., Westport Factory, Mass.

Howard W. Jones, special student with the Class, is vice-president of Robert A. Cline, Inc., real estate, 1027 Enquirer Bldg., Cincinnati, O. Howard lives at the Cincinnati Country Club.

Dr. Wallace Lisbon is occupying his new office at 928 Smith St., Providence.

Robert S. Barker is a bridge engineer with the State of California, and lives at 1214 O St., Sacramento.

Townes M. Harris, who won his A.M. in 1923 and lectured in economics at Brown for two years after he left College Hill, is Assistant Director of Public Relations, First Army Corps, Boston, with rank of Lieutenant.

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1924

Dr. Louis E. Hathaway has been elected as a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons. He's practising in Springfield, Mass., with his office at 4 Chestnut St., and is an active member of the Connecticut Valley Brown Club. There are two hopefuls in the Hathaway family, Ann., who is 8, and Louis, 3rd, now 5 years old.

Wyndham Hayward has four articles and is co-author of a fifth in the recent Daylily Edition of *Herbertia*, official publication of the American Amaryllis Society, of which Hayward is secretary. His subjects deal with color photography and the amaryllis: breeding for good red daylilies; the national amaryllis show at Orlando, Fla., in 1941; and *crinum scabrum*, "a spectacular bloom common in old Florida gardens and country yards." Hayward grows amaryllis at Winter Park, Fla., where he runs the Lakemont Gardens, and writes and lectures on the amaryllis in his leisure time.

1925

Wallace H. Frazee has been on active duty since last December as Lieutenant, U. S. N., after having received his commission in August, 1941. He has leave of absence from Chase National Bank for the duration.

George H. Mitchell, reporting his removal to Mairaville, N. Y., divides most of his waking hours between teaching social studies in the Schenectady schools and serving as secretary of the Merchants Bureau, Schenectady Chamber of Commerce.

Gordon A. Smith, one of Home Life Insurance Co.'s right hand men, has deserted Pelham to settle at 305 West 4th St., New York.

Dr. Charles H. (Ti) Morhouse has been promoted to Lt. Colonel, Medical Corps, U. S. A., with a silver star citation and assigned as aide to Gen. Douglas MacArthur at headquarters in Australia.

Carleton L. Staples is with R. A. Lasley, Inc., engineers, Chrysler Bldg., New York, and lives at 190 Beechwood Ave., Mount Vernon, N. Y.

New addresses for your book include James Irving Gorton, 8 Richbell Rd., White Plains, N. Y. and Erwin Aymar, 11 Carolina Ave., Providence.

1926

Doran Hurley, author, is with Longmans, Green, publishers, at 55 Fifth Ave., New York. Doran doesn't say anything about it, but we suspect that he has another novel in the writing.

Dr. Russell S. Bray, special student with the Class and a physician in Providence since 1930, has been commissioned as Lt. Commander, U. S. Naval Reserve.

George L. Cassidy and his growing family now live at 24-A Garden Place, Brooklyn, N. Y. George, as you know, is a member of the New York State Labor Relations Board. Mrs. Cassidy (Mary-Light Schaeffer '26, Pembroke College) is serving her internship at Long Island College Hospital in Brooklyn; and the twin sons, Patrick and Martin, nine years old, are going to school to beat the records father and mother made. George notes that a Scottish terrier is also an important member of the family.

Ormond Saart and Mrs. Saart recently sold their house at 29 Orchard Ave., Providence, to Rev. William G. Berndt.

1927

Rev. Warren Wyeth Willard, pastor of the Federated Church, Kingston, Mass., has joined the U. S. Naval Reserve as Chaplain with the rank of Lieutenant (jg).

Walter S. Stedman, whose engagement you made read in another column, is a member of the law firm of Stedman & Stedman, Albany, N. Y., which his father, the late Charles S. Stedman '96, made well known during his 40 years as lawyer and public citizen.

Gerald B. Bate is rent control officer, Rent Division, Office of Price Administration, Washington, where his mail address is 2139 R St., N. W.

Vice-President Linus Travers of Yankee Network, Inc., had a modest share in the program dedicating the network's new studios at Kenmore Square headquarters, Boston, late in March. The *Boston Herald* called the studios "the first in the world to be built specifically for broadcasting on frequency modulation and at the same time to present the regular broadcast." Linus is in charge of the network's sales and promotion.

Herbert C. Howe writes: "Just working for Bendix Products Division, Bendix Aviation Corporation, here in South Bend, Ind." Herb lives at 817 Park Ave.

Joseph Perlman is running the Perlman Jewelry Co., 111 Atlantic St., Stamford, Conn.

Kirtland J. Keve is practising law by himself at 521 Fifth Ave., New York, where he lives at 63 East 87th St.

Norman F. Van Gelder works for New York Shipbuilding Corp. in the Camden, N. J., yards to which he commutes from 8 Mockingbird Lane, Audubon, N. J.

Adam Smith, still a grand swimmer, is physical director of the Y.M.C.A., Chester, Pa., with his house at 2610 Sandiland Ave. in that city.

Thomas W. Boyde, Jr., is an architect, with his office and home at 104 Baycliff Drive, Rochester, N. Y.

New addresses to note: Bertram W. Creese, 67 Lindell St., Danvers, Mass.; Allison W. Laytham, 523 Summit Ave., Hackensack, N. J.

1928

New advertising manager of Seagram-Distillers Corp. is George E. Mosley, who joined Seagram's in 1935 after six years in the advertising department of General Foods. In 1937 he became supervisor of advertising and in 1938 assistant director of advertising and sales promotion. George and Mrs. Mosley and their two daughters live on Rockridge Rd., Rye, N. Y.

John C. Hamilton wrote last month from Harrisburg, Pa.: "Because I'm joining the Army, I shall appreciate change of address of my subscription to the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY, and other University correspondence, to John C. Hamilton, 55 Maolis Ave., Bloomfield, N. J. This is effective immediately."

G. Mason Gross graduated on April 10 with commission as Lieutenant in the first class at the school of indoctrination for Navy aviation volunteer special officers recruited for administrative work, Quonset Air Station. Gross and his fellow graduates, the *Providence Bulletin* said, "will immediately relieve Navy fliers of administrative work in this country and foreign posts."

William S. Preston, bacteriologist with Rackham Arthritis Research Unit at Uni-



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COMMENCEMENT: Scheduled on May 18 this year Commencement Day in red frolics that used to be ball on Andrews Field.

versity of Michigan Medical School, is living at 1037 Olivia Ave., Ann Arbor.

George E. Adams is manager of the Albany, N. Y., office of Commercial Investment Trust Corp. at 537 Central Ave. George's house address is 1111 Western Ave., Albany.

Richard G. Coffin is assistant manager in the Marine Sales Dept., Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., 26 Broadway, New York, and lives out on Long Island at 504 Park Ave., Manhasset.

Earl H. Bradley, reporting arrival of Earl H. Bradley, Jr., added: "Since I've been a little lax on previous announcements, it is probably news to some of my classmates that this is our third child. The others are William Courtland, 2nd, now six, and Roberta, nearly three."

Leonard C. Wright, parole officer of the New Jersey State Department of Institutions and Agencies, was recently elected as chairman of the management committee of the Court Street Y.M.C.A., Newark, N. J., of which he has been a member and volunteer worker for many years.

New addresses to note: John C. Pickering, 1034 Potter Ave., Union, N. J.; Oran F. Schee, Jr., Talleres Borda, Hector Aquilar Ricketson, Taxco de Alarcon, Gro., Mexico.

Augustus W. Calder, New England Butt Co., executive, has been elected as vice-president and chairman of the executive committee of New England Foundrymen's Association.

Lt. Brackett H. Clark, Infantry Reserve, is on duty at Raritan Arsenal, Metuchen, N. J., to which he was ordered to report in March.

Robert M. Wallace has stepped up as assistant general works manager of Griscom-Russell Co., Massillon, O., with which he started in 1928 as a welding engineer. Bob had been assistant superintendent until last February. He and Mrs. Wallace have adopted a baby girl, Linda Milne Wallace, born Dec. 23, 1941.

1929

Raymond A. Balkom is employment supervisor for Remington Arms Co., Inc., Lake City Ordnance Plant, Independence, Mo., and is living at 210 Brush Creek Blvd., Kansas City.

Ralph G. Winterbottom, writing in mid-April from 43 Aiken St., Fairhaven, Mass., added cryptically: "Expect to be commissioned in Army."

Edwin C. Harris is now assistant general manager of Pawtucket Mfg. Co., Pawtucket, where he began as paymaster in 1929.

Philip A. White is reported to be working for Sperry Gyroscope Co., Brooklyn, N. Y. He left the Gamewell Co., Boston, a year ago, we have been told.

Douglass H. Rogers is purchasing agent for Allen & Hall, Inc., wooden boxes, with his office at 79 Silver Spring St., and his home at 22 Ravenswood Ave., Providence.

Harold S. Sizer, design analyst with Brown & Sharpe Mfg. Co., has moved to 77 Don Ave., Rumford.

1930

BY HAL CARVER

In writing Brick Frohock on the arrival of a young lady in his family, we were interested to hear indirectly about Don Hunt, the goalie of parts and student of French. Don is teaching in a private school in Pasa-

dena. Brick says Don has been knee deep in the works of Admiral Mahan and seems to have come to the conclusion that the Admiral knew what he was talking about. Apparently Don has become a thorough-going Californian; so his hockey activity must be a thing of the past.

Ted Daggett has been assigned as Lieutenant (j.g.) in the Coast Guard. Ted was an originator of the Connecticut River Power Squadron and naturally gravitated to the Coast Guard as a result of his work with the power boats. After May 18, his address will be 1 Park Place, Mystic, Conn.

Another naval appointment showed up when Don Allmon, also a bachelor, reported induction into the Naval Reserve March 12 as Lieutenant (j.g.). He is in the production end and expects to be stationed for the time being at Charlestown Navy Yard.

Rambling about the country we heard from Ray Blank, still a bachelor and active in the motion picture industry. Ray, who wrote a long letter some time ago giving his activities, says he has now quieted down. He reports 5206 Waterbury Rd., Des Moines, Ia., as his house, and 500 Paramount Bldg., Des Moines, as his business address.

During the past month Mac Walling has appeared in print both facially and reportorially almost every day, result of his appointment as administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, U. S. Department of Labor. Mac has had a great deal of experience handling problems relative to this division, and has tackled his new task with his usual skill and good judgment.

A report from the hills of New York shows that one Lucius Cary is much in evidence and up to his ears in work. Lu is located at Hart Lot, N. Y., where he serves as traffic manager for Glenside Mills Corp. He graduated from St. Lawrence as a Bachelor of Science and has been working for Johnny Getz '28, the corporation treasurer. It is a far cry back to Cary's car of parts, but that car left indelible memories for 1930.

The chemical division of the Class receives a little attention this month. While eating breakfast at the Statler in Boston, who should stop by but Ted Wallace, who was attending a chemical conference. He tells me he is handling the financial end of Smith, Kline & French Laboratories, Philadelphia. Despite the ever present business pressure, he looks well, and will be glad to hear from anyone in the Philadelphia sector.

Gil Williams, working for Berkshire Chemical Co., a division of Davison Chemical Corp., Baltimore, Md., writes his business address is 92 Howard Ave., Bridgeport, Conn., and that he is living at "The Birches", Flat Rock Park, R. F. D. 1, Bridgeport. Gil is happily married and has two youngsters, Shirley Anne, age ten, and Gilbert, Jr., age six. A member of Corinthian Lodge, he has progressed up through the line in Masonic work. His hobby is amateur radio, his station, WIAPA. He is Emergency Coordinator for Communications in the Bridgeport area.

1931

With Stan Nickerson, director of the Brown News Bureau, and Francis (Finky) Gull, Freshman baseball coach, leaving to take commissions in the Navy, the Class does not have any liaison men on the Hill at present. But we are sure Dick Bowen,

The Steel Waited to Jump

▶ ▶ STEEL AND MAGNETS are commonly supposed to have instant attraction for each other. But Dr. Herbert H. Uhlig '29 of General Electric Research Laboratory is showing a strip of stainless steel that waits about a minute and a half before it jumps toward a powerful magnet placed under it. The answer has to do with a delayed change in the steel's atomic arrangement; and "exact knowledge of the nature of such changes is important in making magnetic materials for transformers and other electric equipment."

The GE News Bureau, after describing the composition of the steel strip and the heating temperatures concerned, says that "Dr. Uhlig has found that if the heated strip is suddenly cooled by quenching in water, then placed under the magnet, it is not attracted, even though it is cooler than the temperature at which the change should occur. After about a minute and a half, however, it suddenly jumps to the magnet. Dr. Uhlig says that the atoms start rearranging themselves as soon as it is cooled, but it takes this time before a majority are shifted and at least a day before all reach a state of equilibrium."

Dr. Uhlig, who recently demonstrated the magnet experiment before the Schenectady Chapter, American Chemical Society, is carrying on this work "in the hope of learning more about the heat treatment of steels and the preparation of alloys with better mechanical properties and corrosion resistance." ◀ ◀

Art Schweikart, and other local Class Agents of the Alumni Fund will fill in neatly for the time being.

Art Brennan is a reporter on the *Pawtucket Times*, and is living at 114½ Providence St., Riverside.

Dr. V. Lemoine Heuser, who used to play a smart roving centre on the football team, is a dentist, as some of us already know, with his office at 60 Roseville Ave., Newark, and his house at 17 Gordon Place, Montclair, N. J.

Dr. Alfred Levin is instructor in history at the College of the City of New York.

John J. Green is out on Quarter Circle V Bar Ranch, Mayer, Ariz., for his health, a recent postcard from St. Louis said.

Jim Sanek, reporting the arrival of his new daughter, Marjorie Ann, added that "our new address is 28 Roberta Ave., Pawtucket." Mrs. Sanek, the former Madeline H. Bogin, taught in the Pawtucket schools before her marriage. Jim, as we know, is with Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. at 111 Westminster St., Providence.

Ed Ahern, salesman for Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., is living at 50 Friendly Rd., Cranston.

1932

Tom Snyder is in training at Great Lakes Naval Training Station with the present rating of yeoman, third class. Tom was for seven years reporter on the *Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph* before the Navy beckoned to him.

John B. Rae, instructor in American history at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, discussed "Rebellion in Rhode Island: The Dorr War, 1842," at the April meeting of Rhode Island Historical Society, the last to be held in the society's building on Waterman St. The society is moving to the John Brown House on Power St. after having been on Waterman St. since November, 1844.

Hugh Butler is chairman of the entertainment committee and Dave Scott is head of the squash committee of the Brown University Club in New York. Dave and Dick Small played on the Club team as regulars, and Hugh got into several matches. The 1942 team won 40 and lost 40, finishing ninth among 17 teams.

James C. White was graduated in February from John Marshall Law School, Chicago, with a J.D. degree. Jim and his family live at 1130 Maple Ave., Evanston, Ill.

1933

Max Hoberman is attached to the 24th Squadron, Air Corps Technical School, Fort Logan, Colo. He enlisted in the Army Air Corps the first of the year and went to Jefferson Barracks, Mo. as a buck private in the 31st Squadron. Now he's at school for supply administration, and hopes to win a commission. Max resigned as associate buyer of linens and domestics for G. Fox & Co., Hartford, Conn., department store, to join the Air Corps.

Dave Low is labor supply representative of the Boston Ordnance District, with his office at 140 Federal St., and his home at 103 Pinckney St., Boston.

Carl Sewall is working for the Kendall Mills in Griswoldville, Mass.

Al Lawrence is with the Plastic Sales Dept., Dow Chemical Co., with his headquarters at 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, and his house at 65 Wesley Ave., Port Chester, N. Y.

Bill Viall, with the Texas Co. in Providence, has recently changed his house address to 507 County Rd., Barrington.

Hans Linkamer is on duty at the Providence office of U. S. Employment Service, Dave Low tells us.

Ed Bodurtha is librarian at Shattuck Military Academy, Fairbault, Minn.

Bill Semmes is with the War Production Board, Washington, and is living in the Westchester Apartments there, he reports.

Ed Brown, according to a recent note, is down in Tyler, Tex., and is well drilling in the oil fields at present.

R. Ford Bentley has gone back to the Chicago offices of Miehle Printing Press

Mfg. Co. after carrying out an assignment at the Long Island City, N. Y., plant.

The picture section of the *New York Herald Tribune* Sunday, March 29, showed Sam Colt, smiling and husky, strolling on the board walk in Atlantic City with his mother, Ethel Barrymore, the actress.

New addresses to note: Nicholas L. Logothets, 16 Aphthorp Ave., Newport, R. I., and Herbert C. Simpson, 270 Bronxville Rd., Bronxville, N. Y.

1934

A radiogram from Lt. Herbert W. Coone, Medical Corps, U. S. Army, was received in mid-April by Herb's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Francis H. Coone of Providence. It was filed from Cebu, then under siege by the Japs. Herb said that he was well and told his parents not to worry about him. He went to the Philippines in September, 1941, and celebrated his 30th birthday on Bataan.

Dick Musson, who went into the Army in April, 1941, as a private and who became Technical Sergeant, Headquarters Battery, 122nd C. A., Downey, Calif., reported last month for training at the Coast Artillery Officers' Candidate School, Camp Davis, N. C.

Harry Tapper is industrial relations counsellor at Alabama Ordnance Works, Childersburg, Ala., where he lives at 91 Coosa Court.

Dr. Forest A. Rowell, Jr., with his M.D. from Tufts Medical School, is at present on duty at Memorial Hospital, Worcester, Mass.

Ralph L. Foster, Jr., sets himself down as "self-employed free lance musical arranger and pianist," and adds that his new mail address is 246 East 46th St., New York.

Dr. August Buermann, 3rd, is resident neuro-surgeon at the Neurological Institute of New York.

Bob Pottle, inspector with Factory Insurance Association, with his office at Room 621, Boston, has moved to 85 Beechwood Rd., Wellesley, Mass.

York A. King, Jr.'s new address is long enough to remember: 100 Westwood Park Drive, Manoa, Delaware Co., Pa. Elbridge Taylor's mail address is now 8 Sylvia Rd., Medford, Mass.

1935

Gordon MacLaren resigned last month as district traffic manager of Northwest Airlines, Inc., New York, to accept commission as Lieutenant (j.g.), U. S. Naval Reserve. For the present any mail will reach him through 3230 South Kenwood Blvd., Milwaukee, Wis.

A Snappy "Highball" Rewarded

▶ ▶ PRIVATE GORDON A. JEFFREY '37 is studying for an officer's commission at the Infantry Officers' School, Fort Benning, Ga. Behind this simple statement is a story which a bright young reporter on the *Providence Bulletin* told in these words:

"Whenever he was on duty in front of the 43rd Division Headquarters (Camp Shelby, Miss.), Private Gordon A. Jeffrey, M.P. from Pawtucket, greeted every officer from the commanding general down with a 'high ball' that was the acme of salutes.

"And Jeffrey was a 'sharp' looking soldier, uniform always immaculate and well-pressed.

"One day Gen. John H. Hester, who commands the 43rd, stopped and complimented Jeffrey on his salute. He requested that the M.P. 'with the snappy salute' be placed on duty at division headquarters as often as possible. Staff officers noticed the Jeffrey salute. There were more compliments and commendations. The officers recommended that Jeffrey appear before the officers' candidate examining board.

"Next Tuesday (March 31), Private Jeffrey goes to the Infantry Officers' School at Fort Benning, Ga., to study for a lieutenant's commission." ◀ ◀



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New York City

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Gen. Agt., Boston

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Ed Gilman, traveling passenger agent of New York, Susquehanna & Western Railroad, with his office in New York, has changed his house address to 176 Arlington Ave., Hawthorne, N. J.

Al Joslin, Providence lawyer, was sworn in last month as Lieutenant (j.g.) U. S. Naval Reserve to rank from March 16.

Eli Levinson is divisional merchandise manager with R. H. White Co., department store, Boston, and lives at 12 Kilsyth Terrace, Brookline, Mass.

V. Edward Perkins, statistician with Canada Dry Ginger Ale, Inc., 117 Heath St., Boston, reports removal to 16 West Wyoming Ave., Melrose, Mass.

Irving Strasmich is in charge of tax research in the Rhode Island State Division of Taxation. He recently removed his law office to 417 Howard Bldg., 171 Westminster St., Providence.

Abbott Cole's new address is 31 Bay Spring Ave., West Barrington, R. I., while Roland Eddy has moved to 305 Meehan Ave., Philadelphia. Abbott is chemical engineer with Socony-Vacuum Oil Co.; Roland is a chemist at Eastern Regional Research Laboratory, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Bruce H. Ritenburg, Jr., sales manager of Nog, Inc. (sounds good, anyway) in Dunkirk, N. Y., reports his new house address is 197 Temple St., Fredonia, N. Y., and Charlie Fernald tells us he has left Marblehead, Mass., to settle for a while, perhaps, at 738 East 21st St., Brooklyn, N. Y. Can it be that Charlie is a Dodger fan?

H. Brainard Fancher and Mrs. Fancher of Scotia, N. Y., have the sincere sympathy of the Class in the loss of their infant daughter, Carol, who died March 30 as a result of a fall from her crib.

1936

Bob Bromage, so Mrs. Bromage told us in a recent letter, is now Pvt. Robert S. Bromage, Battery A, Battalion 13, Fort Eustis, Va. Any mail for Bob should go to Mrs. Bromage, 109 Pearl St., Thompsonville, Conn.

Frank Handy is working in the Division of Current Information, Department of State. Frank left the United Press Association to go to Washington.

Charlie Nauss is engaged in production management with Grumman Aircraft Engineering Co., Bethpage, L. I. Charlie's mail address is 128 Lenox Rd., Baldwin, N. Y.

Herman Schein is an archivist at the National Archives of the United States, Wash-

ington, where he lives at 4819 Kansas Ave., N.W.

"Since the first of this year," Art Terry writes, "I have been with American Steel & Wire Co., subsidiary of U. S. Steel, in the Industrial Engineering Dept., Allentown, Pa., plant. I'm working for defense on the home front, but am ready to go when called." Art was married on Aug. 2, 1941, to Miss Elizabeth M. Nolf.

Steve Armstrong is studying law at night at the Law School, Boston College, and expects to receive his degree in June. By day he continues to sell insurance in Providence.

New addresses for your file: Walter C. Newman, Jr., 706 Pontiac Ave., Cranston; John H. Coogan, Jr., 191 Boulevard, Glen Rock, N. J.

1937

Bill Horn, Jr., will soon be getting his wings and commission as Second Lieutenant, Air Corps, as the Mount Vernon Argus, Bill's home town newspaper, reported late in February: "Aviation Cadet William P. Horn, Jr., son of Mrs. Helen V. Horn of 450 East Prospect Ave., has completed approximately two-thirds of his pilot training and will report soon to one of the Air Corps advanced flying schools for the final phase of his flight training."

Lieut. Thomas J. Watson, Jr., Air Corps, has been taking a course at the Command and General Staff School, Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

Dr. Robert N. Adamson is resident dentist at New York Hospital, 525 East 68th St., New York. Bob's new house address is 35-15 78th St., Jackson Heights, N. Y.

Edward K. Bancroft is sales engineer with Babcock & Wilcox Co., working out of 49 Federal St., Boston, and living at 516 Park Drive in that same city.

Walt Connolly, noting that he is with Triton Chemical Corp., Industrial Trust Bldg., Wilmington, Del., adds his Wilmington mail address is 1111 Delaware Ave.

Thurston Steele's cocker spaniel, My Own Mellenie, was a prize winner at the Springfield, Mass., Kennel Club's all breed show last month.

Don Haggerty, who has been on the stage and in pictures since leaving college, had a role in the comedy hit, "Mr. and Mrs.

North," the past season. In February he was a guest player at the Vassar College Experimental Theatre. Don is a native of Poughkeepsie, you know, and he had his first theatre training in Vassar productions.

Francis C. Tyler reports he has moved from West Springfield to Hudson, Mass., where his mail address is Box 184.

Freeman Love will be graduated from Cornell Medical School in June. His marriage to Miss Andree Walton of Brooklyn, his old home city, was arranged to take place April 25 at First Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn Heights.

1938

Ensign John C. Edgren, called to duty in March, is one of eight junior officers attached to the Naval Aviation Cadet Selection Board by the Bureau of Aeronautics with the Navy Air Corps, A-V (S). His job is administrative duty in public relations, a contact man for the Navy with newspapers, radio, universities and the general public. As part of his personnel work in the manpower procurement division, he returned to Providence early last month. He took the C. A. A. flight program at Hills-grove last summer under the supervision of Brown University, but his eyes couldn't make the grade for Naval pilot.

John McSweeney's new address is: American Consulate, Lagos, Nigeria, W. Africa (c/o Department of State, Washington, D. C.)

Shelton C. Noyes, lawyer, has his office at 85 Exchange St., Portland, Me., but is living in Rumford, Me.

J. J. Henry Muller, III, lately of Woodmont, Conn., is a candidate in the Adjutant General's Officer Candidate School at Fort Washington, Md. He hopes to get his commission in June.

Resigning his position with the Bell Oil and Gas Co. of Ardmore, Okla., Ainslee Coffin has been in the Naval indoctrination class of the V-7 unit at Notre Dame, with an ensign's commission in sight. He was able to go home for a brief vacation in Marblehead, Mass., before going into training school.

King A. Grinnell is with the Fall River National Bank and lives at Greenlawn St., in that Massachusetts city.

A letter from Edmund R. East told us that he is still Director of Classification, Pennsylvania Industrial School at White Hill, Camp Hill, Pa.

Curtis B. Watson is serving at Civilian Public Service Camp No. 15, Stoddard, N. H.

Gavin Pitt, who has taken up his personnel duties with Macy's, New York, has settled with his family at 248-32 Rushmore Terrace, Little Neck, Long Island.

Norman Prudden is a fire protection engineer in the inspection department of the Associated Factory Mutual Fire Insurance Cos., Boston, but works in the New York area apparently, since his house address remains 115 Radford St., Yonkers.

Edward J. Galway has come north from Atlanta, Ga. We're told he was last month at the Brattle Inn, Harvard Square, Cambridge, Mass.

Roland A. Hueston, Jr., who used to be in the Brown Band, found that experience of use at Fort Jackson, S. C., where he is now playing solo clarinet in a divisional band there. He's justly proud of his promotion to Private First Class, Specialist Fourth

Coach for Four Days

► THE once well known Mr. Finnigin, who was "off agin, on agin, gone agin," has a modern counterpart in Francis D. (Finky) Gurll '31. "In again, out again," was Gurll's refrain as he left the post of Freshman baseball coach after four practice sessions to accept commission as Lieutenant, U.S.N. He became coach after the Navy wasn't sure that it wanted him right away, and was just getting to know the names of some of his recruits when the Navy called in earnest.

Gurll, one of Brown's best football and baseball players, resigned as athletic director at Newman School in New Jersey to enlist. But there was something said about his age, and he returned to Brown confident that the Navy might in good time find out that it could use him. It did.

Class. "I would appreciate hearing from classmates now in the services," he writes.

Vernon J. Allen has moved from Pawtucket to 314 Benefit St., Providence.

Proud father of December-born Judith Hull Montgomery, John Montgomery sends us a lot of good news from Hartford, where his address is 269 South Marshall St. He's an assistant underwriter in the Marine Department of the Travelers Insurance Co., in which capacity he occasionally roams the Midwest and South. He reports spending a good week-end in Chicago with Palmer App '37 recently. His other news:

He's heard from Ensign Charles E. H. Williams on Dec. 1, when Charlie was en route to Hawaii!

W. K. "Bud" White, who has his wings and ensign's rating, stopped in Providence recently. He's certainly a handsome gent in his uniform.

F. C. Hinkley, in Hartford with Remington, "makes it possible for us to sleep nights by being on the alert for enemy aircraft as a plane spotter."

John A. Priest, following graduation from Harvard Law School in June, went to Washington "to furnish the Brain Trust with some real talent." He and his wife, the former Leigh Kennerly, Pembroke '36, are living at 4352 North Henderson Rd., Arlington, Va.

Robert Richard, special agent for the Travelers Insurance Co., is handling the State of Connecticut for them. He's at home with his attractive wife at 72 Garden St., Hartford. Also in Hartford is Wallace C. Armstrong (or, rather, in West Hartford—at 58 Griswold Drive), who is with the National Fire Insurance Co., at 1000 Asylum Ave.

A. W. Keema, "brains of the Class of '38, now serving as Brains of the Pratt & Whitney Machine Tool Co., is doing a superb job in a very important position."

Art Staff received his lieutenant's rating at Fort Monroe in December and married recently.

Paul Welch sounded as though he was on the verge of a Navy commission when we saw him a few weeks back. He said the Class's response to the War Bond proposal was fine. We've called off our reunion this year and will buy a bond instead.

1939

Ken Frank is now Lieut. Kenneth L. Frank, 173rd F. A. stationed (in March) at Camp Livingston, La.

Dave Hull recently won promotion to the Officer Training School, Fort Benning, Ga. Dave was at Fort Caliborne, La., with the Anti-Tank Company, 174th Infantry, 44th Division, when he got his orders. He won his Master's degree at New York University in 1940. His present work at Fort Benning, he says, is far more strenuous than any he ever did at Brown or at N. Y. U., but he likes it just the same.

Bob Whitehead is production manager with Roy S. Durstine, Inc., advertising, 580 Fifth Ave., New York.

Don Howarth is research engineer with Dictaphone Corp., 375 Goward Ave., Bridgeport. He lives on Hillspoint Rd., Westport, Conn.

Herb Goldberger is in the executive training division of R. H. Macy & Co., Inc., department stores, with his present headquarters at Herald Square and his home at 110 West 86th St., New York.

Jim Maker is a junior metallurgical engineer at Watertown Arsenal, Watertown, Mass., and is living at 83 Plympton St., Waltham, Mass.

Bill Baldwin is an investigator for the American Society of Composers, Authors & Publishers (ASCAP), with his office at 1140 Lincoln Alliance Bldg., Rochester, N. Y. But he says: "Write me at 411 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, N. Y."

Jack Harrington is in his last year at the Boston University School of Law.

Floyd Shumway, Jr., is a claims adjuster for Liberty Mutual Insurance Co., 10 Rockefeller Plaza, New York.

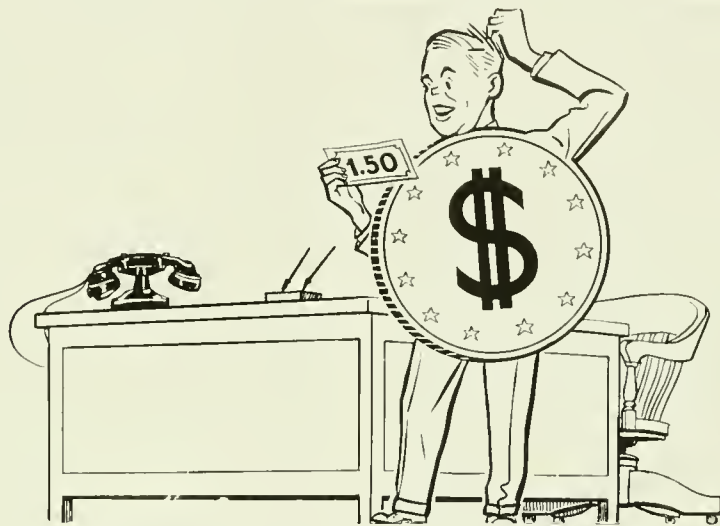
Ed Deignan, sales manager of Brown & Mills, Inc., manufacturing jewelers at 100 Stewart St., Providence, and Mrs. Deignan (they were married last month) are getting

settled at 21 Chestnut Ave., Eden Park, R. I.

Jim Fraser, investigator for Liberty Mutual Insurance Co., is at present working out of Kansas City, Mo., where his office is at 20 West 9th St. His preferred mail address is 7305 Pershing Ave., University City, Mo.

Jack Rowe has come home from Peru, where he has been supervising archaeological work for the Institute of Andean Research, and you will read elsewhere in this issue of his engagement to Miss Barbara B. Burnett of Waban, Mass.

Joe Blessing flew home to Ridgewood, N. J., last month for a four-day furlough before heading for Midland, Tex., for schooling in the big bombers. Joe enlisted in January, 1941, in the 113th Infantry, 44th Division, and was later sent to Maxwell Field for flight training.

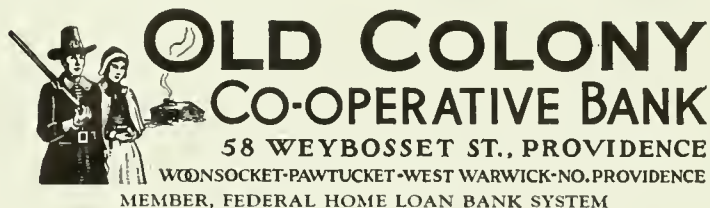


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1940

John McLaughry is in training as fighter pilot at the Southeast Air Corps Training Centre, Maxwell Field, Ala.

Army Aviation Cadet Sam Anderson has transferred from Maxwell Field to the advanced training school at Mather Field, Calif.

Horace Clem, his mother tells us, is Ensign Horace Clem, U.S.N.R., and that his mail address for the duration is 99 Woodbine St., Auburn, R. I.

Stan Cummings is ending his second year of his three-year law course at the University of Chicago.

Ensign Daniel F. Larkin, Jr., U.S.N.R., has been in command of the U.S.S. PC 540. Dan and Miss Judith Freeman were married early in March, you know.

Bob Smith is a cadet engineer with Public Service Electric & Gas Co., 80 Park Place, Newark, and lives (note change, he says) at 38 South Walnut St., East Orange, N. J.

Harry Platt has put away his basketball togs after a successful spring barnstorming season during which he played with the Providence All-Stars, the Philadelphia Spas, and other teams.

Phil Rice, Jr., has been appointed as instructor in physics at Case School of Applied Science, Cleveland, O. He has been a research fellow with the Physics Department at Case since 1940.

Melvin Swartz is student assistant manager of Avon Theatre, Providence. He started out as an usher at RKO-Albee Theatre and was chief of service at Metropolitan Theatre before going to the Avon, not far from the college campus.

1941

Ensign William A. Jewett is on active duty aboard U.S.S. Tamaque, Section Base, Newport.

Julian R. Panek has been commissioned as Ensign, U.S.N.R., and assigned to special engineering service.

Steve Dore, Jr., is a civil engineering draftsman in the Navy Design Dept., Quonset Point, R. I. Steve and Mrs. Dore (they were married last March 14) live at 212 Smith St., Cranston.

Doug Gutenkunst, according to the last note from him, was stationed at the U. S. Naval Aviation Reserve Base, Dallas, Tex. "Not permanent," said Doug, who is in training as a Naval Aviation Cadet.

Taylor Belcher is manager of Garrison Coal Co., Garrison-on-Hudson, N. Y. Taylor, sworn in last March as a member of Class V-7, U.S.N.R., expects to begin training in October.

Emile LeGros is an assistant engineer with Western Electric Co., Hawthorne Station, Chicago, and is getting his mail at 1048 Chicago Ave., Oak Park, Ill.

Vic Hillery is Private Hillery, 5th Armored Division, stationed a month ago at Camp Cooke, Calif. Vic, who is with Headquarters Company, says that the nature of his firm's business (see Graduate Records blank) is "defeating Fascism."

Ensign Harry A. Dinham is with the Bureau of Ordnance, Personnel Section, Navy Department, Washington. Harry was in training with Continental Illinois National Bank & Trust Co., Chicago, working in the income tax section when he left to go into the Navy.

Dave Welch is a chemist with B. F. Goodrich Co., rubber manufacturers, and is living at 474 Avalon Ave., Akron, O. That's Dick Starrett's address, too, if we recall correctly.

Frank Feldman is a junior executive with Enterprise Stores, with his office at 1479 Hancock St., Quincy, and his house at 110 Arlington Rd., Chestnut Hill, Mass.

Myron M. Curry is announcer over Radio Station KMBC, Pickwick Hotel, Kansas City, Mo. He started out with Station KCMO (NBC Blue) and then shifted to KMBC (CBS). His mail address is 808 North Union, Independence, Mo.

Gordon T. Colley is First Lieutenant, 643rd Tank Destroyer Battalion, 43rd Division, Camp Shelby, Miss.

Al Acorn, 3rd, is a clerk and actuarial student with Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co., Springfield, Mass.

Hal Detwiler was holding a temporary appointment as clerk in the General Accounting Office, Washington, when he wrote late in March. He was on the sales staff of Colgate-Palmolive-Peet Co. before going to work for the Government.

Jack Ellenbogen is speeding up his courses at the Harvard School of Business Administration and hopes to be graduated next September. We hear he has applied for a commission in the U.S.N.R.

Bob Steinsieck is studying at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, and has had his military duty deferred until he completes his medical course.

Wallace Allen is a member of the Technical School Squadron, U. S. Army Air Corps, Scott Field, Ill.

Ted Kagels, Jr., is an adjuster for Aetna Casualty & Insurance Co., 421 Genesee Bldg., Buffalo, and lives at 320 Westgate Rd., Kenmore, N. Y.

Tommy Lohr, 2nd Lieutenant, Army Air Corps, has recently been attached to MacDill Field, Tampa, Fla. Tommy won his commission in February, came home to Paterson, N. J., on furlough, and then headed for Florida.

Ensign R. Douglas Davis, U.S.N.R., is on duty with the Inshore Patrol, with New York City as his headquarters. Doug and Mrs. Davis have taken an apartment at 309 West 109th St., New York.

Nick de Paul, Jr., whose marriage to Miss Margaret Jocelyn Nafe '43, Pembroke College, is reported in another column, is a security analyst with Investors Counsel, Inc., 67 Broad St., New York. "Our announcements," Nick told us in a postscript to a recent letter, "sent out on April 1 to all our friends, were not an April Fool joke!"

John O'Leary is on the sales correspondence staff of Brown & Sharpe Mfg. Co., Providence, where he and Mrs. O'Leary lives at 381 Ives St.

Harry S. Perkins, who left us at end of Freshman year, is a salesman for Gulf Oil Corp., 189 Summer St., Boston. Harry married Miss Elma Johnson on Aug. 16, 1941; and he and Mrs. Perkins live at 401 Broadway, Cambridge, Mass.

Those We Mourn

1884

▶▶ HENRY HATHAWAY HAMMOND, Ph.B., retired lawyer, born Providence, Aug. 1, 1861, the son of Barnabas Benton and Jane Swift (Nye) Hammond; died in Providence, April 11, 1942. He had been a semi-invalid for many years.

After graduation he studied law privately, became a member of the Rhode Island bar in 1888 and by appointment of the Rhode Island Supreme Court a Master in Chancery in 1890. Owing to illness, he had to give up this work. Later he was an assistant in the City Treasurer's office and clerk for a short time to Mayor D. L. D. Granger '74.

Canon Duncan Fraser '28 conducted the funeral services at St. John's Cathedral.

1892

▶ HARRISON SOUTHWICK TAFT, Ph.B., S.B., retired construction engineer, born Providence, Jan. 6, 1869, the son of Edward Padelford Taft '54 and Eliza (Williams) Taft; died in Providence, April 3, 1942. Death came while he was walking on Bowen St., not far from his house.

Through his mother he was a seventh generation descendant of Roger Williams. His family has been and is a loyal Brown one. Its Brown members, as Mr. Taft once set down the list, include Edward P. Taft '54, Edward W. Taft '81, Orray Taft '85, Robert R. Taft '88, Foster W. Taft '94, Franklin K. Taft '98, Eliza F. W. Taft '02, Pembroke College, Edward Padelford Taft '04, and Edward P. Taft, Jr. '35.

On graduation from Brown, Harrison Taft entered Massachusetts Institute of Technology, won his S.B. degree there in 1896, and during the next eight years engaged in ship construction at Newport News, Va., and Cleveland, O. He worked as an engineer on the building of Grand Central Terminal, New York, and as a contracting engineer in Seattle, Wash., until the beginning of the first World War. He began his noteworthy war work as contractors' representative during construction of three infantry cantonments at Presidio, Calif. Here he set an engineering record for speed.

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Navy at Portsmouth, Va. Dry Dock No. 4 was "the most complicated concrete structure of magnitude ever built under cognizance of the Navy Department." Dry Docks Nos. 6 and 7 were later dedicated by the Queen of the Belgians, a historic ceremony in Navy records. Rear Admiral Richard Watt, U.S.N., in charge of Norfolk Navy Yard, praising Taft and his colleagues, called the dry docks' construction "the most expeditious, successful, and satisfactory" piece of engineering work in his experience.

Since 1922 Taft had been a construction and consulting engineer on his own. When he retired he settled at first in Monterey, Va., of which he was fond and about which he wrote magazine and newspaper articles. On his return to Providence four years ago he took up historical research. He had compiled notes on the history of various communities and was sketching out a genealogy of the Brown family from which the University got its name. He was a member of the Rhode Island Historical Society and Alpha Delta Phi.

Surviving are his sister, Miss Emma A. Taft, with whom he lived, another sister, Eliza F. W. Taft, and four brothers, all Brown men, Orray Taft, Santa Barbara, Calif.; Franklin K. Taft, New York; Edward P. Taft, Augusta, Ga.; Robert R. Taft, Providence.

1894

► **FREDERICK EUGENE STEERE, A.B.**, real estate broker and one of Brown's famous baseball players, died suddenly in San Francisco, March 2, 1942, while on a business trip to this country from Honolulu, where he had lived since 1898. He was among the first Americans settling in Hawaii after the United States annexed the territory.

"Kid" Steere, so Fred Woodcock '91 dubbed him; and "Kid" Steere he was, and is, to his college generation. When he came to college from Johnston High School, he weighed 118 pounds. He was as young looking as he was slim, and his nickname fitted him as neatly as he fitted into short field on the Brown nine. He began his baseball career as captain of his Freshman nine. But he transferred by invitation to the varsity, fiddled about at second base for a short time, and then took over his natural position, shortstop. He played there through his four years on the Hill, was captain in Senior year, and all-American college shortstop in 1894.

A technicality held up his degree at Commencement, but he received it by special vote in 1909. Meantime he had coached baseball two seasons at Bowdoin College, tried his hand at selling insurance and learning the woolen business in New Bedford, and set sail for Honolulu intending to start a coffee plantation. But he grew limes instead, worked for Lewers & Cooke, Ltd. lumber dealers, and then went into the real estate department of Henry Waterhouse Trust Co., Ltd. When he resigned in 1931 to open his own real estate office, he was manager of the department and vice president of the bank. Although he did it years ago, his work to raise money for the first Y.M.C.A. building in Honolulu is still gratefully recalled.

Steere, direct descendant of John Steere, who came to this country from England and settled in Scituate in 1669, was born in

South Scituate Aug. 16, 1872, the son of Hardin and Almira M. (Wilbur) Steere. On Oct. 17, 1898, he married Charlotte Doyle Iles, niece of the late Sarah E. Doyle '94, honorary. Mrs. Steere died Jan. 17, 1933. Surviving are a son, Frederick E. Steere, Jr., Honolulu, and a daughter, Mrs. Edwin A. Kinsey, Long Beach, Calif. His fraternity was Delta Kappa Epsilon.

1895

► **ROYAL CHAPIN TAFT**, business man and public citizen, born Providence, Nov. 29, 1873, the son of Royal C. Taft '91, honorary, and Mary F. (Armington) Taft; died suddenly in Providence, March 31, 1942. His father, a cotton manufacturer, was Governor of Rhode Island in 1888-89.

Death came at Butler Hospital, of which he was junior trustee and where he had just previously taken part in a testimonial dinner program in honor of his friend and colleague, Harry Hale Goss, who for 45 years has been the hospital's steward and business manager. He said good night to another friend and was getting into his motor car when he was stricken.

Leaving college at the end of Junior year, Royal Taft went into the cotton manufacturing business with his father and was secretary-treasurer of the Coventry Company until 1929. Since then he had been an associate in the Providence office of Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co. He was a director of Rhode Island Hospital Trust Co., and Blackstone Mutual and Merchants Mutual Fire Insurance Cos., a former treasurer of Providence District Nursing Association, a member of Turks Head Club, Agawam Hunt Club, and Psi Upsilon.

One of his major activities previous to the First World War was training camp work. He attended the second Plattsburg camp in 1916. He was chairman of the Rhode Island Branch, Military Training Camps Association, in 1917, and adjutant to then Maj. G. A. Taylor, F.A., U. S. A. (1901) in charge of military preparation at Brown. In 1923 he was named as civilian aide for Rhode Island to the Secretary of War, serving four years and doing a great deal of promotion work on behalf of summer training camps in New England.

On Dec. 6, 1908, he married Marianna Field Gardner, recently president of the Rhode Island League of Women Voters. Mrs. Taft survives, with two sons, Royal C. Taft, Jr., '30 and Gardner Taft; two daughters, Mrs. Herbert C. Wells and Mrs. Roger M. Freeman, Jr.; a sister, Miss Abby F. Taft, and two grandchildren.

1897

► **HOWARD MASON VAN GELDER, M.E.**, who died of a heart attack in New York, Nov. 22, 1941, had been chief electrification engineer on the National Power Survey, Federal Power Commission, and was in charge of electrification of the Philadelphia subway system. For 44 years he had been active as an electrical engineer.

Born in Catskill, N. Y., Dec. 15, 1876, the son of David H. and Ellen E. (Mason) Van Gelder, he entered Brown from Catskill Academy. For three years after graduation he worked for General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y. After three more years with Manhattan Railway Co., he joined the engineering staff of Westinghouse, Church, Kerr & Co., New York, and became a managing engineer of the company.

In 1920 he resigned to go to Gibbs & Hill, another New York firm, as project engineer. After a short partnership in the firm of Stovel, Brinkerhoff & Van Gelder, he went to the Department of City Transit, Philadelphia; and his experiences in his complicated, difficult and often discouraging subway work added more years to his life than he cared to admit. Transfer to Washington in 1934 to take over as chief electrification engineer, National Power Survey, was an interlude. During the first World War he spent considerable time in Washington assisting the Advisory Commission, Council of National Defense.

His last positions were with the Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission and with Charles H. Emerson & Co., electrical contractors, Reading, Pa. He was a member of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers and of Phi Delta Theta. While a resident of Mountain Lakes, N. J., he was a leader of the Civic Association. His first wife, who was Helen W. Foote of New York, and whom he married in 1905, was for years one of Orange County's active Republicans. Mrs. Van Gelder died Jan. 12, 1935.

Surviving are his second wife, the former Miriam Stroh, and two sons, Norman F. Van Gelder '27, and Philip H. Van Gelder '28.

1904

► **PORTER FEAREY**, president of the Bay of New York Coal & Supply Corporation, born Albany, N. Y., Oct. 14, 1880, the son of Thomas H. and Maria V. B. (Babcock) Fearey; died at St. Francis Hospital, Trenton, N. J., March 31, 1942. He lived at Featherbed Farm, Hopewell, N. J.

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Fearey left Brown in February, 1903, owing to a severe illness. When he recovered, he traveled for several months and then went to work for Pierce Arrow Automobile Co. In 1904 he was in charge of the company's exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition. After a short time with Smith-Premier Typewriter Co., Syracuse, N. Y., he joined the sales staff of Baker, Ayling & Co., Boston bankers. He also worked for H. M. Bylesby & Co., public utilities, and was an independent broker in Albany from 1907 to 1913. During that time he lived on his 300-acre farm at Stottville, about 25 miles south of Albany on the Hudson River. Later he was manager of White & Co., and a member of the investment firm of Sweet & Fearey Co.

On March 18, 1916, he married Elizabeth Boyd Martin. Surviving are his son, Porter Fearey, Jr., stationed at Camp Edwards, Mass., two sisters, Mrs. Bessie Fearey Judson and Miss Ruth Fearey, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Howard Martin of New York. He belonged to the New York Wholesale Coal Dealers' Association, and was a member of the old Brown Yacht Club. His fraternity was Delta Kappa Epsilon.

1907

► **GEORGE WILDER CHENEY, A.B.**, head of the Cost Section, Portsmouth Navy Yard, died in New England Baptist Hospital, Boston, Oct. 30, 1939, according to information recently received and confirmed by the Alumni Office. He went to the Navy Yard in May, 1917, a month after this country entered the First World War.

Cheney was born in Nashua, N. H., Nov. 25, 1885, the son of Edward E. and Mary E. (Wilder) Cheney. In college he was an ardent bowler, a member of the Brown Musical Clubs, the Press Club, and Phi Kappa Psi. He won a place on the Brown bowling team in Freshman year, and was the team's captain in Senior year. Classmates will recall him as a valiant pipe smoker, and *Liber Brunensis's* comment:

"The wisdom of the man who says little and smokes much is remarkable."

During his first ten years out of college he was clerk and assistant watch repairer in a Nashua jewelry store. He was also interested in local politics, with membership in the Nashua City Guards Club. At Portsmouth Navy Yard he was rated as principal fiscal accounting clerk, and had been head of the Cost Section for 18 years. He belonged to the Masons, the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, and the Warwick Club.

On Jan. 22, 1908, he married Mabel E. Clark of Providence, who survives, with a daughter, Mrs. Florence C. Hammar, a grandson, John A. Hammar, and a granddaughter, Mary Elizabeth Hammar.

1926

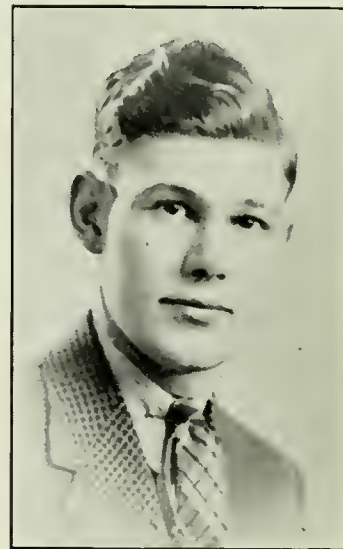
► **ROBERT CHARLES KNOX, Ph.B.**, assistant secretary and treasurer of the Jewelers Board of Trade, born Philadelphia, Nov. 28, 1902, the son of John and Ellison M. (Brown) Knox; died in Meriden, Conn., April 9, 1942. He had gone to Meriden on a business trip, and was apparently in good physical condition. A heart attack, suffered while he was in the office of International Silver Co., proved fatal.

Bob Knox spent one year at University of Florida, and three years at Brown. At Florida he played soccer. At Brown he was one of the game's pioneers, helping organize an informal team, arranging a schedule, and carrying on a campaign to win recognition of the Athletic Council. In recent years dogs were his hobby. Airedales were his special breed, and he showed them in New England. He was a former member of the board of governors of Rhode Island Kennel Club, and had been chairman of the club's bench show committee.

For three years after graduation he was a salesman for Rhode Island Printing Co. Then he became a reporter for the Jewelers Board of Trade, advancing to assistant secretary and assistant treasurer in 1932. He traveled as far West as the Mississippi, and was a familiar and well liked figure in the jewelry trade. He belonged to the Commercial Law League of America, Rhode Island Association of Credit Men, Brown University Club in New York, Orpheus Lodge of Masons, Barrington Yacht Club, and Phi Delta Theta. Since last December he had been active in Civilian Defense in Barrington and had taken his turn as an airplane spotter.

Bob married Miss Barbara Allen Powers of Providence, June 14, 1930. Mrs. Knox survives, with two daughters, Judith and

Joan, a brother, Lieut. Commander William Knox, U.S.N., Portsmouth, Va., and a sister, Mrs. Walter Megee, Rehoboth Beach, Del.



**HE DIED IN SERVICE :
Lieut. Philip M. Knesal '40**

1940

► **SECOND LIEUT. PHILIP MORSE KNESAL**, Air Corps, U. S. A., died at the Station Hospital, Fort Lewis, Wash., March 23, 1942. Officials at Fort Lewis, according to a news story in the *Providence Journal*, said that he "had been ill for some time."

Phil Knesal, John Hay Scholar who in Junior year was one of four students from New England colleges chosen to attend a seminar in world affairs under Sir Norman Angell in Switzerland, was born in Youngstown, O., March 16, 1918, the son of Charles M. and Alma C. (Reminger) Knesal. At Shaker Heights (Cleveland) High School, where he prepared for college, he was an excellent student with fine qualities of leadership. There was no mistake about the award of a John Hay Scholarship which he received in 1936.

His Brown record attests to his choice. He majored in political science for his A.B. degree. He was on the Dean's List, and the Students' International Union Scholar in Switzerland. He belonged to Erasmians and Brownbrokers, led Brown Christian Association campaigns, and was co-manager of the Brown Co-operative. He also played soccer. With Brownbrokers he had a leading part in the revue "Savoir Faire". In Senior year he was a member of Cammarian Club, of which he was secretary. His fraternity was Phi Kappa Psi.

After graduation he went to work for Republic Steel Corp., beginning at the bottom. He left to become an aviation cadet, and on Oct. 31, 1941, received his commission as 2nd Lieutenant, Army Air Corps, at Brooks Field, San Antonio, Tex. He applied at once for foreign service. His first assignment was to the 302nd Air Base Squadron, Gray Field, Fort Lewis, and it was there that he caught pneumonia resulting in his death.

Surviving are his mother and two aunts, all resident of Cleveland Heights. ◀ ◀

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1938—Miss Priscilla Alden Hume, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell S. Hume of Brooklyn, N. Y., to C. Hudson Thompson, Jr.

1938—Miss Dorothy MacRobert, daughter of Mrs. John H. MacRobert of Melrose, Mass., to Benjamin R. Vaughan, Jr. Miss MacRobert attend Katharine Gibbs School.

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1939—Miss Ruth Egee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin W. Egee, of Rutledge, Pa., to Ralph B. Dinsmore. Miss Egee attended Bucknell University.

1939—Miss Barbara Bent Burnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Burnett of Waban, Mass., to John H. Rowe. Miss Burnett attended Oberlin Conservatory of Music.

1939—Miss Margaret Frances Rabling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rabling of Bronxville, N. Y., to Floyd M. Shumway, Jr. Miss Rabling is now a student at Skidmore College.

1940—Miss Barbara Ellen Carens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Carens of Arlington, Mass., to Ensign Kenneth D. Clapp, U.S.N.R. Miss Carens attended Chamberlayne School.

1941—Miss Helen Margaret Hovland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hovland of Arlington, Va., to John L. Benn. Miss Hovland will receive her diploma in May from Boston University.

1941—Miss Priscilla Marion Bateson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Bateson of Providence, to Henry P. Eldredge, 2nd. Miss Bateson graduated from Middlebury College.

1941—Miss Elizabeth Ann Nestor, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Michael J. Nestor of Providence, to Aviation Cadet Louis J. Duesing.

1941—Miss Olivia Proctor McCullough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Mc-

Cullough of Lexington, Ky., to John C. Mithoefer.

1941—Miss Doris Marcellus Bainbridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence M. Bainbridge of Montclair, N. J., to James F. Gay Murray.

1942—Miss Priscilla Person, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Flynn R. Person, of Ware, Mass., to Cadet John E. Day, U. S. Coast Guard. Miss Person was graduated from Howard Seminary, Skidmore College, and the Guilmet Organ School.

1942—Miss Nancy Elizabeth Wing (Wheaton '44), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Wing of Crestwood, N. Y., to Pvt. Robert N. Pevoto.

1942—Miss Priscilla Randall Church (Pembroke '43), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert L. Church of Lincoln, to Corp. Robert K. Rockwell. Miss Church is now a junior at Pembroke.

1942—Miss Joan Gay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Gay of Scarsdale, N. Y., to Ensign Justin R. Whiting, 3rd, U.S.N. Miss Gay was graduated from the School of Fashion Merchandising, of New York.

1943—Miss Bernice Emily Lod (Pembroke '43), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Lod of Westwood, Mass., to William N. Bumpus.

WEDDINGS

► 1924—QUENTIN J. REYNOLDS and Miss Virginia Pine of Chicago, at Mr. Reynolds' apartment in the Ritz Tower, New York, N. Y., Mar. 30, 1942. At home: 2 Sutton Place, New York, N. Y.

1928—W. G. Stuart Sherman and Miss Thelma Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Williams of Clarksburg, W. Va., in the parsonage of First Baptist Church, Dec. 20, 1941. At home: 490 South Highland Ave., Apt. 510, Pittsburgh, Pa.

1929—Eric T. Gehlen and Miss Pauline Mary Ormston of New York City, daughter of John J. Ormston of St. Petersburg, Fla., and the late Mrs. Ormston, in St. Francis Xavier Church, New York, April 18, 1942. Mrs. Gehlen was graduated from the College of New Rochelle.

1931—William H. Crawford and Miss

Jane Cook Summers, daughter of Mrs. James Summers of Middlebury, Vt., at the Congregational Church, April 14, 1942. James B. Brown '31 was the best man. Mrs. Crawford is a recent graduate technician from the Eckels College of Embalming in Philadelphia. At home: 29 Seminary St., Middlebury, Vt.

1931—John M. Moler and Miss Ruth Alma Routzahn, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Elvin C. Routzahn of Yonkers, N. Y., in Scarsdale, N. Y., April 11, 1942. At home: 149 Johnson Road, Scarsdale, N. Y.

1934—John E. Englund and Miss Jessie McEwan Romer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Romer of Pleasantville, N. Y., at the home of her parents, Mar. 28, 1942. Herbert S. Phillips '34 was the best man.

1935—Theodore S. Daren and Miss Gladys Rosalie Elfenbein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Elfenbein of Groton, Conn., at the Norwich Inn, Mar. 27, 1942. At home: 145 Rockwell St., Norwich, Conn.

1937—W. Stuart Thompson, Jr. and Miss Lillian Louise Schlitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schlitz of South Orange, N. J., in the First Presbyterian and Trinity Church, Mar. 14, 1942. Evan Crossley '37 was an usher.

1938—Ensign Robert W. Leonard, U.S.N.R., and Miss Helen Barnes Newberry, daughter of Lieut. Barnes Newberry, U.S.N.R. and Mrs. Newberry of Narragansett, at the home of the bride's parents, Apr. 2, 1942.

1939—Gilbert E. Cain and Miss Virginia Guy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Guy of Wawaset, Del., in the First and Central Presbyterian Church, Apr. 1, 1942. At home: 2321 Dwight Way, Berkeley, Calif.

1939—Edward J. Deignan and Miss Eva Cecilia Desrochers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Desrochers of Edgewood, at St. Paul's Church, Edgewood, Apr. 11, 1942. At home: 21 Chestnut Ave., Eden Park, R. I.

1941—Lieut. Junior M. Barney and Miss Marion Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hanna of Springfield, Mass., in the rectory of St. Michael's Cathedral, Mar. 21, 1942.

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1941—Ensign Richard F. Brooks and Miss Virginia Dale Leeman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Leeman of St. Louis, Mo., in Elmhurst, Ill., Mar. 21, 1942. At home: Fairview Manor, Dryden Road, Ithaca, N. Y.

1941—Nicholas C. dePaul, Jr. and Miss Margaret Jocelyn Nafe (Pembroke '43), of Seattle, Wash., daughter of Mrs. Gertrude Nafe of New York City and the late Mr. Nafe, in New York City, Mar. 31, 1942. At home: 214 Riverside Drive, New York, N. Y.

1941—John H. Howe and Miss Evelyn Phebe Burnham, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William S. Burnham of Newport, R. I., at Wilmington, Del., Mar. 2, 1942.

BIRTHS

► 1926—To Dr. and Mrs. Reginald C. Farrow of Syracuse, N. Y., a son, Peter Bradshaw, Apr. 16, 1942.

1928—To Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Bradley of Seekonk, Mass., a son, Earl Halliday Bradley, Jr., Mar. 2, 1942.

1928—To Mr. and Mrs. Nelson B. Jones of Providence, a third son, Foster Townsend, Apr. 25, 1942.

1930—To Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Abrams of Providence, a son and first child, George Leslie, Apr. 6, 1942.

1931—To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph F. Briggs

of Cleveland, Ohio, a daughter, Patricia, Mar. 12, 1942.

1931—To Mr. and Mrs. James Sanek of Pawtucket, a daughter, Marjorie Ann, Mar. 12, 1942.

1932—To Mr. and Mrs. T. Dexter Clarke of Providence, a son, David Alden, Mar. 29, 1942.

1934—To Mr. and Mrs. Maury Caito of Providence, a son, Carl Anthony, Mar. 8, 1942.

1934—To Mr. and Mrs. Winslow A. Robbins of Abington, Mass., a son, Winslow Arthur Robbins, Jr., Mar. 30, 1942.

1934—To Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. Robinson, Jr. of New York City, a son, Apr. 16, 1942.

1935—To Mr. and Mrs. G. Armand Morin of Hartford, Conn., a son, Paul Armand, Dec. 22, 1941.

1936—To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Owens of Conimicut, R. I., a daughter, Alice Elizabeth, Mar. 24, 1942.

1937—To Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. Tyler of Hudson, Mass., a daughter, Marion Lee, Mar. 24, 1942.

1938—To Mr. and Mrs. John Montgomery, Jr. of Hartford, Conn., a daughter, Judith Hull, Dec. 17, 1941.

1939—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Crosbie of Wellesley Hills, Mass., a second son, William Richard, Mar. 13, 1942. ◀ ◀

Pembroke Chronicle

BY GERTRUDE ALLEN McCONNELL
Alumnae Secretary

CLASS NOTES

► ► 1904—SARAH E. TAYLOR has the sympathy of the alumnae in the loss of both of her parents. Her father, Rev. William B. Taylor, was a retired clergyman.

1905—Olive Eddy Eaton has the sympathy of the alumnae in the death of her husband.

1907—Mildred Carnes Nuttall has announced the engagement of her daughter Virginia, to Paul V. Hess, who is attending the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York.

1905—Bertha Buffinton Hull's son Robert, Brown '35, was married on April 25 to Mary Caroline Webster of Portland, Ore.

1906—Alice Tillinghast Bartlett is visiting in California.

1909—Dr. May Hall James has our sympathy in the death of her mother.

1910—Mabel Bushell Donle's son Walter, an Army officer, has been selected to take a special three month's course at Harvard.

1910—Alice Sweet Nicholson's son Senior is with the ski troops at Mt. Rainier, where he is teaching skiing.

1913—Aline Bourgeois Towne was entertained by Norah Dowell Stearns and Hermoine Dealey Dvorak on a recent trip to Seattle.

1913—Madeleine Kane Durfee entertained the class at dinner last month.

1916—Albertine Butts has the sympathy of the alumnae in the death of her father.

1916—Elsie Cushing Hurdis and her husband, Brigadier General Charles E. Hurdis, are now at Fort Leonard Wood, in Missouri.

1916—Dr. Clara M. Thompson is Assist-

ant Clinical Professor of Psychiatry at New York Medical College.

1918—Madeleine Webster Arnold's son George is a Freshman at Brown.

1918—Edith Earle has moved her Physicians Laboratory Service to 501 Reservoir Ave., Cranston.

1918—Janet Williamson Kingsbury has moved to 211 Glenburnie St., Chapel Hill, N. C.

1919—Esther Brintzenhoff has taken an apartment at 407 Angell St., Providence.

1919—Ruth Lester Moulton has been elected president of the Episcopal Woman's Auxiliary—Diocese of Western Massachusetts. She lives at 218 South St., Southbridge, Mass. Her son is a Freshman at Brown.

1920—Mary Blake Lovell has a son at the University of Virginia and a daughter at Wheaton.

1922—Leota Lyon Hall has compiled a cook book of favorite recipes of famous people in and near Madison, Conn.

1922—Dr. Beatrice Kershaw is at 7 Trapelo Road, Belmont.

1923—Alice Wright Bainton now lives at 120 Don Ave., Rumford.

1924—The class's interest in school affairs is evidenced by the fact that Charlotte Ferguson Roads is a member of the School Committee in Marblehead and Betty Young Jeffers and Helen Fenner Walter are presidents of their respective parent-teacher associations.

1925—Ruth Davidson Evans and Catherine Davidson Almeida '27 have the sympathy of the alumnae in the loss of their mother.

1925—Hope Thornton Burke has moved to 153 Richmond Ave., Worcester.

1925—Amy Spencer Cappelli's poetry is appearing in several magazines and an article on teaching English appeared in the April issue of *College English*.

1926—Dr. Mary Kenny Landers now lives at 108-48 67th Drive, Forest Hills, N. Y. and her sister Margaret Kenny '27 is at the same address. Mary has taught mathematics at Hunter College for several years and Margaret is a librarian at the same institution.

1926—Edith Lovejoy Mohrfeld (Mrs. Howard M.) lives at 705 Park Ave., Colliingswood, N. J.

1927—Margaret Abel Gifford and family have moved to 337 Rumstick Point Rd., Barrington.

1927—Dorothy Hampson Clark Pope (Mrs. Edward) is managing editor of the *Journal of Parapsychology*. She is still at Duke University.

1928—Helen Butts Correll has the sympathy of the alumnae in the death of her father.

1929—Alice Plunkett is doing social work with the Dept. of Women and Children in Providence.

1930—Anne Grisko Flynn has moved to 6856 Edgevale Road, Kansas City, Mo.

1931—At the meetings of the Family Welfare Assn. of America held at the Providence Biltmore, Marjorie Battersby led a discussion for case workers on "Our philosophy and practice in relief giving." Among the alumnae attending the conference were Estelle Martin '29, Marjorie Hunt '29, Verna Follett Spaeth '30, Leah Easterbrooks '31, and Mary Hagan '32.

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1931—Alice Brophy is now located at 24 West 69th St., New York.

1932—Selma Smira Newman has moved from Connecticut to 83 Oak Hill Ave., Pawtucket.

1933—Adelaide Davidson Budde is teaching the History of Art at the R. I. School of Design as a small contribution toward preserving some of the higher values which are threatened with complete suffocation and also as a means of survival. She writes: "I am thoroughly delighted with my job and so happy that most of what I did in college propelled me toward it. I am well aware of the part Miss Morriss and Miss Moar played in arranging the direction." She is living at 28 Yarmouth St.

1933—Ruth Gagen has a position in the Regional Office of the Social Security Board, 120 Boylston St., Boston.

1933—Marion Warren is acting head of the history department in the Samuel Gorton High School in Warwick. She has also become an ardent fancy skater and skier.

1934—Iola Morse is working in the Alderman Library at the University of Virginia.

1935—Madelene Cournoyer is teaching in the high school in Stratford, Conn., and is living at 186 Courtland St., Bridgeport.

1935—Natalie Basford Fancher has the sympathy of the alumnae in the loss of her eight months' old daughter Carol Elizabeth.

1935—Catherine Jodoin Beckley and her husband have bought a house near Center Conway and are having a good time renovating it. Although the house is in New Hampshire, her mailing address is Star Route, Fryeburg, Maine.

1935—Lillian Hicock is introducing some of our good Pembroke traditions to the Mississippi State College for Women, where she is Social Adviser. She also had the pleasure of introducing Barbara Ham Raymond '41 at a tea while she was in Columbus.

1936—Annette Aaronian has accepted a U. S. Civil Service position as statistician with the U. S. Employment Service.

1936—Charlotte Katz Goldman is living at 75 Clinton Road, Brookline.

1936—Barbara Hubbard is assistant librarian at Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt.

1936—Selby Roberts is teaching sports and recreation at St. Mary's School, Valhalla, N. Y. The beautiful school grounds are located in the highest point in Westchester County and she is thoroughly enjoying both the work and the location.

1937—Sara Cushing was the recent guest of Alice Curran Kierst in Buffalo. She spent the winter at Daytona Beach.

1937—Miriam Hahn is living at 146 Filbert St., Hamden, Conn. She is becoming an ardent gardener and at the same time is preparing for her finals at the Yale School of Public Health.

1937—Mary Huntington Pettit is at 115 Main St., Westport, Conn.

1937—Ruth Manley has a position in the Engineering School at Harvard.

1937—Helen Foster Thalheimer has moved to 1955 Lexington St., Houston, Texas.

1938—Lois Allen has been awarded a scholarship at the Graduate School at Cornell for next year.

1938—Eleanor Crost is research assistant to Prof. E. Pendleton Herring of Harvard,

a consultant with the Division of Administrative Management, Bureau of the Budget. She is living at 532 20th St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

1939—Marie Coogan has a secretarial position with the American Viscose Corporation, makers of crown-tested rayon.

1939—Lora Morris Johns has been moving frequently as her husband is a reserve officer in the Army.

1939—Marjorie Kelly Ryan lives at 858 Main St., Watertown, Conn.

1940—Frances Babcock Chase is at 913 Welch St., Apt. 8, Little Rock, Ark.

1941—Audrey Smith Price has moved to 1365 Third St., Rensselaer, N. Y.

1941—Barbara Ham Raymond now lives at 347 Hamilton Ave., Panama City, Fla.

1941—Margaret Smith has resigned her position in Cincinnati to take one in New York. She and Ann Lucheme Rand are living at 51 East 9th Street. ◀ ◀

Engagements

▶ ▶ 1939—OLGA LOUIS to Raymond Zagranski, a Senior at Yale Medical School. Olga is in her third year at the Yale School of Nursing. Both will graduate on June 9 and they are to be married on the 21st.

1940—Helen Carleton Messenger to John Wrightwood Hayne. Mr. Hayne attended Bergen Junior College, Bates College, and the Juilliard School of Music in New York. Prior to his induction into the Army he was organist-director of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Teaneck, N. J. and assistant to Mr. James Cornielle at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Englewood, N. J.

1940—Bernice Doris Temkin to Shepard Justin Freed. Mr. Freed attended Tufts College and Boston University.

1943—Priscilla Randall Church to Robert Kenneth Rockwell, Brown '42.

Weddings

▶ 1929—EVA ISRAEL and Dr. S. Louis Frumson of Woonsocket Feb. 1.

1931—Elizabeth de Courcy and Josiah E. Greene, Brown '33, April 25 at the First Congregational Church, Darien, Conn.

1934—Ruth C. Whitaker and Lieut. Comm. George A. Lang, U.S.N., April 16 at the First Methodist Church in Baltimore.

1934—Esther L. Holmes and Clyde Allen Rano in Farley, Mass., April 19. Address: 268 River St., Cambridge.

1934—Lillian Price and Frank S. Brill on September 7, 1941. Mr. Brill is a graduate of City College of New York '35 and is a mechanical engineer. Address: 310 West 55th St., New York.

1937—Rebecca Lowenstein and Caleb Cauman, Harvard '29, in March. Mr. Cauman is an Army officer, stationed in the South. The permanent mailing address is Apt. 15 A, 311 East 72nd St., New York.

1937—Gala I. Swann and James A. Jennings in the Church of the Transfiguration, April 11. Bessie W. Johns '29 was organist. Address: 230 Calla St., Providence.

1940—Grace J. Lillien and Frank L. Blumberg, Nov. 2, 1941. Mr. Blumberg graduated from Penn in 1933. Address: Temple Garden Apts., Baltimore.

1941—Lorena Olive Gray and Lieut. Herman Gustave Muenchinger of Newport at the First Congregational (Unitarian) Church, Providence, April 25. Lieut. Muenchinger attended Danville Military Institute, U. S. Military Academy, and R. I. State College '38.

Births

▶ 1927—To Mr. and Mrs. V. Russell Beck (Alverda Sammis), a son, Allan. Address: 115 Bayard St., Providence.

1927—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Griffin (Mildred Fagan), a daughter, Janice, March 5. Address: 37 Howard Ave., Pascoag.

1928—To Mr. and Mrs. Harold T. U. Smith (Althea Page), a son, Myron Douglas, on Feb. 25. Address: 1008 Main St., Lawrence, Kan.

1930—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Johnson (Agnes Gould), a daughter, Judith Gould, Nov. 24. Address: 277 Colonial Drive, Portsmouth, N. H.

1930—To Lieut. Commander and Mrs. Francis W. Laurent (Grace King), a daughter, Joyce, March 23. Joyce's brother Jerome King is now two. Address: 1807 Key Boulevard, Arlington, Va.

1931—To Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Gerish Dearborn (Roana Robinson), a son, Edmund G., Jr., March 28. Address: 8 Cossett Ave., Claremont, N. H.

1931—To Mr. and Mrs. Christos Hermantas (Dena Lampropoulos), a son, Charles Christos, June 6, 1941. Address: 2256 N. Nottingham St., Arlington, Va.

1934—To Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Bolster Johnston (Katherine Smith), a daughter, Penelope Adams, April 16. Address: Kingston, N. Y.

1936—To Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Felsch (Marjorie Denzer), a daughter, Barbara Ann, March 16. Address: 4605 North 24th St., Arlington, Va.

1939—To Mr. and Mrs. George V. Snell (Doris Daly), a daughter, Ann Carolyn, March 10, 1942. Address: 21 Laurel Court, Providence.

Death

▶ 1938—Edna Rosaline Margules, a senior at Johns Hopkins Medical School, died suddenly on April 2, 1942, at John Hopkins Hospital as she was being given an anesthetic prior to a tonsil operation.

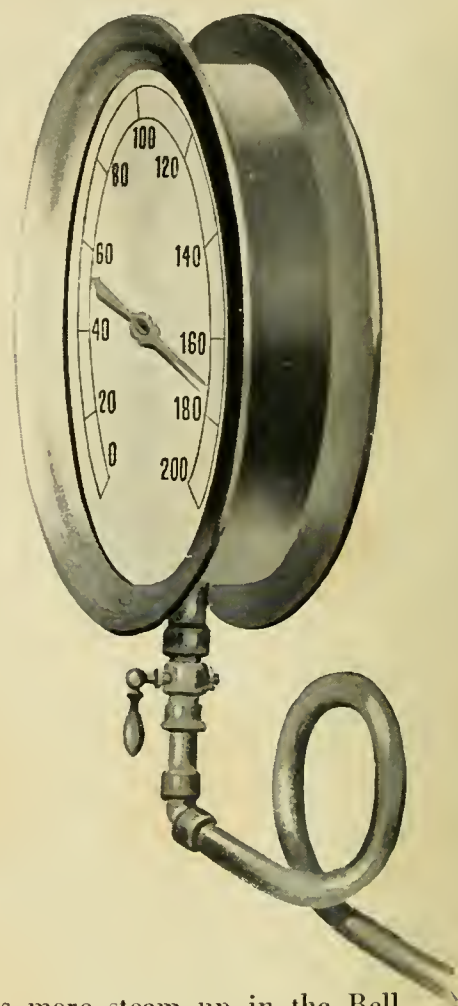
Miss Margules was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Margules and sister of Geraldine, who is a Pembroke Junior. She prepared for College at Classical High School in Providence. While an undergraduate she won the second entrance premium in Greek, was on the Dean's list, was a member of the Sophomore Masque Committee, the German Club, the Classical Club, and did honors work in Premedical Sciences. She was the first in her class at Johns Hopkins to receive her appointment as an interne and was to have gone to the hospital in Allentown, Penn. after her graduation in June. The sympathy of the alumnae is extended to her family. ◀ ◀

Poor Richard, 1942

▶ THE Providence Sunday Journal for March 15 called attention to "a lively-looking, pleasant little book," "Poor Richard Comes to Life," by Bessie W. Johns '29. About half of Poor Richard's maxims—440—are included. Miss Johns, convinced the maxims ring as true now as ever, has selected the sayings and poems most pertinent to modern living and has grouped them according to subject matter. Fifty sketches by Richard E. Bailey are included. The book, published by the John Day Company, is a delightful little volume. ◀ ◀

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